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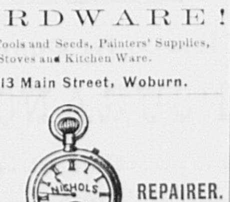

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[For the Woburn Journal.]

THE LAZY VOTER.

When mighty questions sway the land
And evil stalks on every hand,
Who never takes a manly stand?
The lazy voter.

When liberty itself's at stake
And heart and brain should be awake,
Who doth his ease and comfort take?
The lazy voter.

Who is it often turns the scale
And causes evil to prevail
Because of snow, or rain, or hail?
The lazy voter.

Who, though he rearly wish that right,
Not wrong, may triumph in the fight,
Will not bestir himself one mite?
The lazy voter.

Since this we know, then shall not we
Who own to more vitality
Not for a moment let him be,
This lazy voter,

Till we've persuaded him to say
That, be the weather what it may,
He'll stand with us election day,
This lazy voter?

HOW THEY MANAGED.

BY HELEN FORREST GRAVES.

"Pack up your things as soon as you please, my dear," said Mr. Chesney. "We're going to move on Saturday."

Mr. and Mrs. Chesney were a matrimonial firm—there was no question about that—but Mrs. Chesney had always been a silent partner in the same.

("If ever I get married," said Elma, a bright-eyed girl of seventeen, "I won't be put upon as Mamma is!" "Papa is a regular despot—that's what papa is!" decided Will, a tall stripling of fifteen.)

"Where, my dear?" asked Mrs. Chesney, with a little start.

"Into the country," said the family autocrat. "I'm tired of this city business. It costs a great deal more than it comes to. I'm told you can live at half the expense in the country."

"But," gasped Mrs. Chesney, "what is to become of the children's education?"

"There's a very good district school in the neighborhood, not more than a mile distant," explained her husband, "and exercise will do them good."

"And what are we to do for society?"

"Pshaw!" said Chesney. "I wouldn't give a rap for people who can't be society for themselves. There'll be the housework to do, you know—nobody keeps a girl in the country—and plenty of chores about the place for Will and Spencer. I shall keep a horse. If I can get one cheap, for the station is half a mile from the place, and I've bargained for a couple of cows and some pigs."

Will and Spencer looked askance at each other.

"It'll do us good to walk a mile to school," muttered the elder; "but father must have a horse to carry him half a mile to the station."

"That's father's logic all over," observed Spencer.

While Mr. Chesney explained to his wife the various advantages which were to accrue from the promised move.

"It's unfortunate," said he, "that Elma and Rosie aren't boys. Such a lot of women folks are enough to swamp any family. Men, now, can always earn their bread. But we must try to make everybody useful in some way or other. It's so healthy, you know," added he. "And the rent won't be half of what we pay here."

"Are there any modern conveniences about the place?" timidly inquired Mrs. Chesney.

"There's a spring of excellent water about a hundred yards from the house," said her husband.

Mrs. Chesney grew pale.

"Have I got to walk a hundred yards for every drop of water I want?" said she.

"And a large rain-water hogshead under the eaves of the house," added Mr. Chesney. "And I've already got a bargain in kerosene lamps. As for candles, I am given to understand that the good housekeepers thereabouts make 'em themselves in tin molds. There's nothing like economy. Now I do beg to know, Abigail," he added, irritably, "what are you looking so lackadaisical about? Do you expect to sit still and fold your hands, while *I* do all the work? Give me a woman for sheer natural laziness!"

"I am not lazy, George," said the poor wife, with a bewildered air; "but—all this is so new and strange at first. But I'll try to get accustomed to it—I'll try my very best."

Nevertheless, Rosie and Elma and their mother shed many a salt tear into the trunks and packing-boxes, on top of the woolen blankets and rugs and piles of domestic linen.

"I hate the country!" said Elma. "I'd as soon go to prison and done with it."

"Oh, Ellie, don't talk so," said Rose. "There are wild-roses and robins there, just as one sees on the painted plaques in the store windows. And perhaps we can have a flower-bed, and some dear little downy chickens!"

But the first sight of Mulleinstalk Farm was dispiriting in the extreme. Between rocks and swamp, there was scarcely pasture for the two lean cows that Mr. Chesney had bought at "a bargain," and the hollow-backed horse, which stalked about the premises like some phantom Buchephalus.

The apple-trees in the orchard were three-quarters dead, and leaned sorrowfully away from the last winds, until their boughs touched the very ground; the fences were all gone to ruin, and the front gate was tied up with a hemp string.

"Is this home?" said Elma, with an indescribable intonation in her voice.

"We'll get things all straightened up, after awhile," said Mr. Chesney, bustling to drive away the pigs, who had broken out of their pen and were squealing dismally under the window.

Mrs. Chesney cried herself to sleep that night, and awakened the next morning with every bone instinct with shooting pains.

"And no wonder," said Spencer. "There's a foot of water in the cellar."

"We must have it drained," said Mr. Chesney, with an uneasy look; "but there's plenty of things to do first."

And now began a reign of the strictest economy. Mr. Chesney himself paid for everything with checks, and not an article came into the house or came out of it without his cognizance. New dresses were frowned upon; spring bonnets were strictly interdicted; orders were issued that old carpets should be reserved, and broken dishes repaired with cement and quicklime.

"Save, save, save! That is the chief thing," he kept repeating, briskly. "Women-folks can't earn; they should try their best to save."

"It's all very well for papa," growled Will. "He goes to the city every day and sees something besides the pigs and the dead apple-trees. He orders a new suit when he needs it. Look at mamma's patched gown and Rosie's dyed bonnet-strings! Why, they can't even go to church, they are such objects! He gets his lunch at a restaurant, and we eat cold beans, and drink dandelion coffee and sage tea!"

"Boys," fluttered Rosie, "I've an idea. Mary Penn, who lives on the next farm, you know, came to see Elma and me yesterday. Papa is earning his his living; we'll earn something, too."

"I should like to know how," muttered Spencer. "I might hire out somewhere as farm hand, if it wasn't for that wretched old horse, and the pigs, and the wood-chopping, and—"

"Oh, but there is something that won't interfere with the chores nor with school!" said cheerful little Rosie. "Just listen—all I ask of you is to listen!"

And the weeks grew into months and the red leaves eddied down in little swirls from the maple trees, and "pig-killing time" came, and with the aid of a lame, one-eyed man, Mr. Chesney laid down his own stock of pork and sausages for the winter with the sense of being triumphantly economical.

The family had left off complaining now. Apparently they were resigned to their doom. But there was some things that Mr. Chesney could not explain at all.

A new rug brightened up the dismal hues of the parlor carpet; Rosie had a crimson merino dress, trimmed with black velvet bars; Elma's fall jacket was edged with substantial black fur; and—grand grand climax of extravagance—Mrs. Chesney had a new shawl, in place of the old broche garment which had been her mother's before her!

He looked over the housekeeping-books with recewed vigilance; he consulted the stubs of his check-book with a glance that nothing could escape.

"I—don't—know—how—they manage it," said he, scratching his nose with the lead-pencil that he always carried. "I hate mysteries, and I mean to be at the bottom of this before I'm an hour older."

He took his account-book under his arm and marched into the kitchen, where his wife was clearing away the late supper.

"Abigail," said he, "how is this? I've given you no money. You've long left off asking for money. How have you managed to smarten yourself and the children up so? I won't be cheated by my own wife!"

Elma set down the pitcher which she was wiping, and came and stood before her father with glittering eyes and cheeks stained with crimson, like a flag of battle.

"Papa," she said, "you must not speak to mamma so. Mamma would not cheat you nor anybody else. It's money that we have earned ourselves. There! Now!"

Mr. Chesney stared at the girl with incredulous eyes.

"And if you don't believe it, come and see how said Elma, flinging down her towel. "Mary Penn showed us. She told us everything, and gave us the first swarm of bees. There are fourteen hives down under the south wall. Spencer sold the honey for us; and we planted all the nice flowers that grow down in the meadow, that you said was too stony and barren even for the sheep to pasture upon; and Will dug and hoed around them after the chores were all done, and we sent boxes and bouquets of lillies and verbenas to the city every day by Mr. Penn's wagon. And we gathered wild strawberries before the sun was up, and got cherries out of the old lane, and the money is all ours—every cent of it!"

"Honey, eh?" said Mr. Chesney, staring at the row of hives, for Elma had dragged him out into the November moonlight to the scene of action. "Well, I've seen these many a time, but I always s'posed they belonged to Squire Penn's folks. And flowers, and wild berries! Didn't think there was so much money in 'em Guess I'll try the business myself next year. Queer that the women folks should have got the start of me!"

And after that he regarded his family with more respect. The mere fact that they could earn money had elevated them immensely in his sight.

But when spring came he lost his able coadjutor.

Miss Elma incidentally announced to him one day that she was going to be married to Walter Penn the next week.

"And mamma is coming to live with us," added Elma. "She can't stand the damp house and this hard work any longer."

But Mrs. Chesney did not go to the Penn Farm. Mr. Chesney hired a stout serving-maid, and laid drain-pipes under the kitchen stoop.

If his wife really understood her business so well, it was worth while to keep her well and active, he considered.

"I couldn't well leave papa, you know," said Mrs. Chesney to Elma. "He means well, and now that Rebecca Beckel is coming here, and the kitchen is dry, we shall get along nicely. I wouldn't go back to the city for anything now."

"Nor I, either," said Elma. "And oh, mamma, I shall always love those bee hives under the holly-hocks, for it was there that Walter asked me to be his wife!"

And Mrs. Chesney tearfully kissed her daughter. She, too, had been happy once, and had her dreams.

It was to be hoped that Walter Penn was made of different metal from George Chesney.

To Elma, however, all the world was couleur de rose. Had she lost the eternal talisman of Youth and Love?—*Saturday Night.*

The Two Platforms.

No License—"Free men, free government, free ballot, free schools, free press, and free religion."

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It is an apparent mistake to suppose that the liquor business ever pays for itself, so far as society at large is concerned. Boston, for instance, receives annually half a million dollars in license fees from liquor dealers; but it pays out for police, criminal court, almshouse, and hospital expenditures, $2,324,866,—which last sum is, of course, in large, very large part, expended for the restraint of criminals and support of paupers, rendered such by the liquor habit. In every city where licenses are issued, the proportion is similar.

In a prominent Southern family where two daughters and several grandchildren have taken the pledge, the viands for the table are prepared to suit both divisions of the household. The colored cook frequently makes the following announcement: "De sauce in de little pitcher for de children ain't got no sin in it; de sauce in de big pitcher is the sin sauce." Could any definition be clearer?

No-License rests on three arguments, namely: the economic argument—we can't afford the saloon; the moral argument—the ruin of character caused by drink; the political argument—the domination of the saloon in politics.

Our Dumb Friends.

WHAT USE OF THE CHECK-REIN?

In the minds of thoughtful observers its effects are altogether harmful, varying in degree according to its length.

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Its second is: To impair the circulation, thus causing heat and suffering in the brain and eyes!

Its third is: To hold back the horses head so that the full force of the sun's glare shall fall in the animal's eyes, and he finds himself prevented from dropping his head, and so shielding them from this suffering!

I have seen horses stand this way by the hour with tight check-rein, compelling them to face the glare of the summer sun. Some of us remember being "bothered" by a persistent fly—our hands have been free, however, to fight our enemy off! Horses with short tails, having their heads checked, cannot defend themselves against this torment.

And now lastly, besides destroying grace and ease of motion, (which the tight check-rein must necessarily do,) the poor animal, if standing, suffers unceasingly with nervousness restlessness, which find vent in the involuntary movements that not infrequently call forth punishment from the ignorant driver.

Those who own draught-horses would do well to consider the tax which the check-rein adds to the animal's burden. Many a tired draught-horse, not thus fettered, droops his head, while waiting, and perhaps "catches a short nap," which goes a great way towards repairing his used-up energy—and which makes him as "good as new," and ready to resume his toilsome labors. Even a loose check-rein prevents the horse, while standing, from obtaining his needed rest, because he is ill at ease; and the strap is cruel just in proportion as it will not allow his head to fall into its rightful and natural position. I repeat, what is the use of the check-rein?

THE FOX HUNT.

There were fifty bandy-legged tailors, plying their needles and thread,
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There were fifty noble gentlemen, whose ancestors had fought
At Waterloo, or perhaps Cressy, or even Agincourt,
On a dull October morning turned out of their beds so soon
(Had it been to do anything useful, they wouldn't turn out till noon);
They donned these gay habiliments, they mounted these prancing steeds,
And proclaimed aloud their bold resolve to do some valiant deeds.
Then they galloped away, a grand cavalcade of dogs, horses, and men—
You'd have sworn each man was prepared to beard the lion in his den!
And they rode till they came to a scrubby heath, did this undaunted throng,
And turned out of a hole a poor little wretch hardly two feet long;
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A Captain's Fortunate Discovery.

Capt. Coleman, schr. Weymouth, plying between Atlantic City and N. Y., had been troubled with a cough so that he was unable to sleep, and was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It not only gave him instant relief, but allayed the extreme soreness in his breast. His children were similarly affected and a single dose had the same happy effect. Dr. King's New Discovery is now the standard remedy in the Coleman household and on board the schooner. Free Trial Bottles of the Standard Remedy at W. W. Hill's, Drug Store.

Dissolve a teaspoon of alum in a quart of water. When cold, stir in flour to thicken and a pinch of resin, with half a dozen cloves. Have on the fire a teacup of boiling water; pour the flour mixture in stirring well. When the consistency of mush pour it into an earthen vessel, lay a cover over, and set it in a cool place. When needed for use take out a portion and soften with warm water. This paste will keep a year.

What are Suppositories.

A. G. Rose, from New London, Conn., writes: Send me two boxes of your Kemp's Pile Suppositories by mail. Our druggist is out. They are for a friend. I tried everything without help, but the Suppositories cured me.

The treatment is new and within reach of all, and would advise the affected to give them a trial. For sale by Chas. H. Buss Druggist, at 50c. per box.

Coats and cloaks should be hung away on the little wire frames costing from five to ten cents, which comes for that purpose. The frames should first be covered with some soft material to prevent the garments from breaking over their edges.

What A Pity

that so many otherwise attractive, polite, and particular people afflict their friends by the foul and disagreeable odor of their breath: it is mainly caused by disordered digestion, and can be corrected by removing the cause, by using that pure medicine, Sulphur Bitters.—*Health Magazine.*

Mr. Ed. Heron Allen, who has been taking a hand in New York fashionable life, thus epigrammatically sizes the society of Gotham: "It is each family for itself, and Delmonico's for them all."

It is a Curious Fact

That the body is now more susceptible to benefit from medicine than at any other season. Hence the importance of taking Hood's Sarsaparilla now, when it will do you the most good. It is really wonderful for purifying and enriching the blood, creating an appetite, and giving a healthy tone to the whole system. Be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is peculiar to itself.

Galvanized iron pails for drinking water should not be used. The zinc coating is readily acted upon by water, forming a poisonous oxide of zinc.

"I would say to my friends and all who chance to read this, that I have used Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam in my family for a long time and consider it a very valuable medicine. It cures when all other remedies fail; and I would cheerfully recommend it to those afflicted with coughs, colds, asthma, etc.
E. S. GETCHELL, Boston, Mass.

Use great care when pickling or preserving in a brass kettle. Scour the kettle just before using, and never let food stand in it after it is cooked.

Energy will do almost anything, but it cannot exist if the blood is impure and moves sluggishly in the veins. There is nothing so good for cleansing the blood and imparting energy to the system as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Price $1. Six bottles $5. Sold by druggists.

In sweeping carpets use wet newspapers wrung nearly dry and torn to pieces. The paper collects the dust but does not soil the carpet.

Bid me discourse. I will enchant thine ear with remarkable tales of astounding cures of all sorts of suffering by Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain. Price 25 cents a bottle.

It is asserted that Booth and Salvini keep their voices clear by the use of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

To prevent drain pipes from stopping up pour a hot solution of potash into the pipes every month or two.

Commissioner of Deeds for all the States, Mr. G. E. Reardon, Baltimore, Md., writes that he suffered for a long time with rheumatism which yielded to no treatment until he applied St. Jacobs Oil.

The lustre of morocco may be restored by varnishing it with the white of and egg. Apply with sponge.

The J. C. Davis Old Soap looks as innocent as a bread pill, but it will work a transformation on soiled linen that you never dreamed of, and cause you to wonder why you never knew of it before.

If the liquor traffic is morally right, it should have the largest liberty; if morally wrong it should have no liberty.

Satisfactory results having been obtained from trials made in the Azores, on the failure of the orange crop, to utilize sweet potatoes for the production of flour and spirits, a French chemist, connected with the French Antilles, M. Ralu, has lately taken out patients for improvements in these two industries. The latter seems likely to obtain large proportions. The sweet potato of Martinique yields 15 litres of alcohol at 100 degs. per 100 kilos weight of roots, and it is probable that the produce of other islands and of the southern continent of America will yield about the same quantity. Ordinary potatoes only yield about three or four litres.

Coffee ice cream, served in punch cups, is an afternoon tea refreshment. The coffee ice cream is always put upon the table, either in a large salad bowl or a punch bowl, and is served with a ladle.

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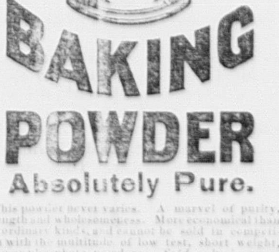

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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 1887.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparro Horton, 195 Main Street, C. R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samue E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

AN OPPORTUNITY.

In another column of this paper we reproduce from the Boston *Advertiser* of last Friday morning an article on the proposed new railroad from Haverhill to Lawrence, thence by the way of Woburn, using the bed of the defunct Mystic Valley road, to Cambridge there to unite with the Fitchburg and thence over its tracks into Boston. The idea of an independent line of railroad between Haverhill and Lawrence assumed shape more than eighteen months ago since which period we have kept an eye on it expecting all the while that it would develop into the scheme now set forth in the article from the *Advertiser* aforesaid. In addition to this it has been an open secret for some years that the Fitchburg Company are anxious to secure a footing here and in this neighborhood which gives plausibility to the story that they are back of the present movement and furnishing the sinews of war to the parties ostensibly at the front.

There can hardly be a doubt but that the project of an independent line of railroad over the route designated is seriously contemplated and it seems equally probable that within two years such a line will be constructed between Haverhill and Boston. Its advantages to Woburn need not be pointed out for it is not possible that any one can be so blind as not to see it at a glance. Woburn threw away a splendid opportunity to improve her railroad facilities and make them superior to any other town in the suburbs of Boston when she turned her back on the Mystic Valley enterprise and refused to come to the rescue with money and credit of the enterprising men who were at the head of it. It was a great opportunity and had it been improved by finishing and opening to travel the M. V. RR. Woburn to-day would have been a city of more than 20,000 inhabitants with double the manufacturing and other business now done here. Everyone feels convinced that such would have been the case, and also that it was very unwise in the town to turn the cold shoulder to the men who were doing all they could to bring about that desirable state of things.

A similar opportunity is offered to Woburn now in the scheme set forth in the *Advertiser* article. Will she avail herself of it? The Board of Trade ought without delay to select a committee of its best members and send it to Haverhill in the interests of this project. There ought to be a conference between Woburn citizens by means of such a committee and the gentlemen at the head of the business at once and an offer made of hearty and active cooperation. It is our chance for securing competing railroad accommodations —the thing we need to insure future rapid growth and prosperity—and if we are wise it will not be allowed to slip through our fingers as the Mystic Valley was permitted to do.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

T. I. Reed—Hams.
H. A. R.—Wanted.
W. E. Carter—Polo.
S. R. Niles—"Globe."
T. H. Cahill—Dobson.
C. S. Gosse—Old Soap.
F. H. Lewis—Music School.
Mrs. J. H. Parker—Wanted.
Pettengill & Co.—Dog Show.
Charles H. Barnes—Business.
Walbridge Bros.—The Quality.
Mrs. G. M. Cheever—Millinery.
T. H. Cahill—Brine & Norcross.
Copeland & Bowser—New Goods.
Pettengill & Co.—Monitor Oil Stove.
Geo. P. Rowell & Co.—Peerless Dyes.

— The registration of voters closed last Wednesday evening.

— This is "April Fools'" day and will be observed accordingly.

— An American Woman wants a situation as housekeeper. See card.

— Try one of T. I. Reed's Burlington Hams. They make a fine breakfast relish.

— Mr. Gilman F. Jones has a carload of fine Western horses coming on next week. They will be at his stables.

— Carter's Academy offers some very nice attractions for this and the coming week. Read his card in this paper.

— This will be a novelty. What? Why, the Bouquet Sociable to be held at the Baptist Church on Thursday, April 14.

— Mrs. J. H. Parker, the Salem street milliner, wants an apprentice as will be seen by her notice in this paper. Find and read it.

— The regular monthly meeting of the Y. W. C. T. U. will be held in the parlor of the Congregational church, Saturday afternoon, April 2, at 3 o'clock.

— Buckman & White carry full lines of choice family groceries which they sell cheap. The best creamery butter in Woburn is sold by this firm grocers.

— The station at Cross street was burglarized last Monday night to the extent of a looking-glass, clock, ticket-punch, and a small sum of money. No clew to the rogue.

— Inquire for T. I. Reed's Burlington Ham of your dealer. They excel all others.

— Work on the new depot at Central Square began last Tuesday morning by some six or eight hands. The building will be 17x32 feet and patterned after one on the Bedford Loop.

— Next Thursday is Fast Day. A union meeting will be held at the Unitarian church at 10.30 a. m. Fast Day. Rev. Mr. Wright of the M. E. Church will deliver the sermon.

— Mr. Lawrence Reade took possession of the postoffice this morning and Col. Grammer retired. The new incumbent will have a plenty of competent clerks as has been the case heretofore.

— A little child of Jimmy Gilligan's was run over by a team near Buckman street yesterday and severely injured. Officer Claffey picked up the child, took it to its home, and saw it attended to.

— The Methodist church in this place have voted unanimously to ask for Rev. Mr. Wright's reappointment to this parish. He is liked very much by his church, and also by the townspeople.

— On last Tuesday evening Mr. N. J. Simonds had five additional brush lights in operation between Myrtle and Salem streets on Main, Common and Pleasant streets. They worked to a charm.

— Burgess has struck it rich on advertising. He now offers bargains for Saturday night as will be seen by his new card. It is novel, and he will have to get a bigger store very soon. Burgess understands the art of using printers ink just right.

— On account of the exactions of their business Messrs. Shaw and Calnan, two of the nominees of the Republican caucus last Friday evening, have declined to run; and the vacancies have been filled by the nomination of J. K. Murdock and E. C. Cottle.

— Mrs. G. M. Cheever has recently purchased and shelved a prime stock of spring millinery goods which she advertises in the JOURNAL this week. She not only keeps well-selected stocks of goods of the latest styles, but she is an artist in taste and therefore always pleases her customers.

— The Old Folks Concert which we alluded to recently is to be given at the Congregational church on the 19th of this month. Rehearsals will begin next week and continue until the concert. From all accounts it is safe to say this will be the best musical entertainment ever given in town.

— At 4 o'clock next Sunday afternoon a "No-License" meeting will be held at the Rooms of the Y. M. C. A. on Main street at which good speakers will be heard. The subject will be: "The Saloon against Home, Church and School." The Rooms ought to be packed with the best people in town.

— There will be a strong team of men and women in charge of the no license ballots at Lyceum Hall next Monday. In an especial manner are the women in right-down dead earnest about carrying the town for prohibition, and we shouldn't wonder if they did providing the men will do their whole duty.

— The next *Boston Sunday Globe* will contain an illustrated article on "Hobbies" by that popular writer J. W. Clarke, whose recent sketches in *The Boston Sunday Globe* have been so widely read. Every man and woman, boy and girl who has a hobby or has a friend with a hobby will enjoy this article.

— Mr. A. A. Brooks and family will leave here next week for Binghamton, N. Y., where they will hereafter reside. Mr. Brooks has made arrangements to go into business there hence the change of residence. We had much rather have had the family remain here, but as they decline to respect our feelings in this particular they will please accept our best wishes for their future health, peace and prosperity.

— The Dows have broken ground for their brick and stone block on the corner of Main street and Church Avenue and a large gang of men are digging down the hill and preparing the site. The entire lot will be covered with a 4-story block which will be divided up for business purposes, halls, etc. It will be completed early in the summer and occupied before fall probably. The block will be an ornament to that part of Main street.

— We call attention to the spring advertisement of Walbridge Brothers, 23 Washington street, Boston, in our business columns. For quantity and quality of goods, low prices, courtesy and straight dealing this firm stands second to no other in the city and we cheerfully recommend it to our readers. We have been acquainted with the Walbridges for a good while and know them to be square men. They have quite a good many customers here in Woburn.

— Explosion or other difficulty with an oil stove in the counting-room of Mr. Thomas Salmon's store last Sunday filled the place full of smoke and endangered the building. Special Officer Claffey and Mr. Salmon were in conversation near by when the incipient blaze was discovered and by the prompt exertions of the former a disastrous fire was probably nipped in the bud. Claffey was instantly on the spot, aided in throwing the stove into the street, and promptly stamped out the flames.

— The special Town Meeting held last Friday afternoon to see if the town would instruct the Treasurer, under the direction of the Selectmen, to borrow $11,626.10 with which to pay the bills up to Feb. 18, 1887, was presided over by Thomas H. Hill, Esq. The vote was unanimous to empower the Treasurer to issue a note for $6,000 payable next September, and another for $5,626.10 payable on Feb. 26, 1888. Only a few minutes was occupied in doing the business when the meeting adjourned.

— The series of meetings which have been held at the Congregational church for two or three weeks past by Rev. Mr. Sayford, the well-known evangelist, closed last Sunday evening to enable him to fill other engagements. They have been largely attended, very interesting, and accompanied with a strong revival spirit. A number of conversions have resulted from Mr. Sayford's preaching and from them it is probable the evangelical churches in this village will receive acquisitions. A great many wanted Mr. Sayford to remain longer and no doubt much good would have resulted from another week of his work here, but other appointments prevented and he left Monday morning.

— Mr. J. G. Pollard declines to stand as a candidate for Town Clerk and exhibits his customary good sense in doing so. We should like very much to see him Town Clerk because he would make a good one; but nobody can beat Mr. Seeley at the polls at this stage of the game and we don't know of but a very few people who want to beat him. He is the best Town Clerk Woburn has had in the last 50 or 75 years, and no matter who runs against him he will rake in all the ballots. He is "pizen" politically, but a good, honest man.

— It is reported that Rev. James Porter Ware, who has been rector of Trinity church, in this village for a year past or more, has accepted a call from a church in Pennsylvania and will soon go hence to take charge of his flock. Mr. Ware has many friends here who will regret his going away. He is a talented young man, zealous in the cause of religion, of good temper, well educated, and highly esteemed by all who know him. The best wishes of this community and especially of Trinity church will accompany him to his new home and field of labor.

— The Woburn Soldier's Aid Society, which has for some time been an efficient auxiliary to the G. A. R. Posts here, disbanded last Monday and divided up the property and funds. This step was the outcome of the organization of two Relief Corps by the same ladies, which did away with the necessity of the Aid Society. The property of the Aid Society, such as silverware, crockery, etc., was divided equally between the two Relief Corps, and the charge of the room at the Soldier's Home was given into the hands of a committee of members of both.

— The Wedgmere Tennis Club of Winchester has extended an invitation to the Woburn Tennis Club to join in the organization of a Middlesex County Tennis League. It is proposed to have one or two meets during the season; and, if possible to inaugurate in this country a general system of County Leagues, such as exist in England. Representatives from the various clubs in this county are to meet in Boston, Saturday afternoon, April 9. Mr. S. J. Elder, the well known Winchester lawyer, has the matter in charge in behalf of a committee of the Wedgmere Club.

— Last Saturday evening District Convention was held in Fraternity Hall by the order of Templars. Grand Templar Mr. A. Peterson from New York was present, and the following officers for the next year were duly installed by him: District Templar, Carl Peterson; V. D. T., Emil Ness; D. Sec., John A. Schlesinger; D. T., J. Malm; D. C., J. Lonn; D. M., R. Berger; Y. V., P. Carlson; I. V., W. Johnson; B. S., Bertha Svenson; B. M., Annie Holt. Mr. Peter Peterson was elected District Deputy for Boston District. The Tempel Freja served a very nice supper for the delegates and the meeting was over at 12.30 at night. Next day the Grand Templar made a very good Temperance lecture, which was much enjoyed.—P.

— E. G. Bullard was driving Mr. Mark C. Felch's team down Main street Wednesday afternoon when a led horse jumped and overturned the wagon throwing Mr. Bullard and Mr. Felch's boy to the ground. The former was picked up in an insensible state and taken into the office of Dr. Hutchins close by. The horse in the shafts made a furious dash down Main street followed by the led animal, and when opposite Buckman & White's store it ran into a team belonging to Mrs. Richardson of Richardson's Mills and did considerable injury to her top-buggy. A few rods farther on the runaway horse fell, overturned the wagon, breaking it considerably, and was then caught. Not a great amount of damage was done to either team.

— It would be a very proper recognition of woman's worth and the value placed upon her by the gallant voters of Woburn for them all to turn in and make the election of Mrs. Judge Adams to a chair on the School Board unanimous. Nobody will deny that she is abundantly qualified for a proper discharge of the duties of the responsible post; besides which, the good women of Woburn are fairly entitled to recognition for their work on the line of a higher grade of public morals and in making up the jewels ought to be favorably remembered. They would no doubt esteem the election of Mrs. Adams a great favor on the part of the men folks, not only as an acknowledgement that women exist in the world who are capable of transacting public business, but that they have rights which white men ought to respect.

— The Chautauqua meeting of last Tuesday evening was diversified by a very unique and entertaining feature. Rev. J. H. Mansfield, the present pastor of the Methodist church in Winchester, was once connected as business agent with a large emery mill, and though now and for years gone by, a very able and successful minister, he is familiar with the minutest details of that useful industry. An old college mate of the president of the Circle, he kindly accepted an invitation to explain the mysteries of the business. First covering the table with samples, illustrating every stage of progress, from the rough boulders in Smyrna and Naxos, to the varied and valuable products known in commerse he gave a most entertaining account embracing every department and process. The history of the product was talk, the mechanical appliances described the difficulties shown, and the multifarious uses of the prepared commodity set in a manner which will not soon be forgotten. Many questions were asked and answered, the specimens eagerly examined, and the company separated nearly an hour beyond its usual time.

W. H. A. W. Fair.

It is to be held on the 6th and 7th of this month—next Wednesday and Thursday evenings—in Lyceum Hall with annexes in Bank block up stairs. It will possess a great many interesting features, not the least of which is to be an Art Gallery containing not less than fifty pictures, the most of them done by eminent artists, sale of bric-a-brac, household goods, and many useful wares. There are to be nice suppers, confectionary, tea, sweetened creams, ices, and we believe a dolls' entertainment or something. There will be enough to keep the patrons of the Fair busy and in good humor all the time. Be sure and come the first afternoon and evening. It is to be held in a good cause.

Tickets for Town Board.

Last Friday evening a committee appointed two weeks ago by the Republican caucus for the purpose reported a ticket for Town officers which was accepted with very little opposition. The following are the names of the gentlemen and lady selected for the honors, and from a perusal of them it will be seen that the ticket is strictly non-partisan as the caucus intended it should be. For Town Clerk, Joseph G. Pollard; Treasurer, Edward F. Johnson; Collector, John G. Maguire; Water Commisioner, James T. Freeman; Sinking Fund Commissioner, Edward W. Hudson; Cemetery Commissioner, (five years) John Eerguson; Trustee of Public Library, Oliver F. Bryant; Auditors, Frederic A. Flint, John A. Walsh, Frederic J. Brown; Sexton, Charles E. Tripp; School Committee, (three years) Daniel W. Bond, Jennie K. Adams, Julius F. Ramsdell; Selectmen, Patrick Calnan, William Ellard, James Skinner, William R. Putnam, William C. Kenney, John Ferguson, Edward L. Shaw, B. F. Kimball.

That is as clean a ticket as could be put in nomination. We have criticised it as closely as possible and have failed to find a crooked or unsound stick in the whole lot. For the Board of Selectmen good business talent has been selected and those who have an interest in the town government. They have pecuniary reasons for wishing to see public affairs well conducted, and they possess the ability to so carry them on. It is remarked on all hands that the ticket is an excellent one—as clean, able and honest as could have been nominated under the most favorable circumstances—a very much sounder and better list than hardly anyone believed could be agreed on. Five of the nominees for Selectmen belong to the Democratic party and vote with it when political issues call for a division, and four vote the Republican ticket. But no one cares for the politics of the individuals composing the Board, but for their personal character, ability to transact business and properly look after the interests of the town, a willingness to do something in the line of reforming the financial management of the place, to get taxes down, and to give our people a better state of affairs. That is the kind of timber the committee aimed for and they got it. The selections for other positions are all as good as could be made, and especially worthy of approval was the nomination of Mrs. Adams for the School Board. If elected she will be an honor to the office for no one is better fitted for it than she.

The Democrats pure and simple—the Bourbons, so to speak—held a caucus last night, but the result of it has not been given out for the gratification of a curious and somewhat anxious community. They undoubtedly went "the whole log" and will "report at the polls" as usual. The party is feeling quite strong and hopeful and if they prove themselves weak at the polls it will come from this feeling. When the Democracy have a tolerable good show for success they are pretty sure to break all up into factions, print split tickets galore, and some or all their candidates get licked. How it will be this year we cannot say.

There is another element at work concocting plans for carrying the town for clean men with good business records who can be depended on for executing the laws made to preserve order in this community. Just what this committee are doing or what their plans are we have been unable to learn, but it is perfectly safe to say that they will present a ticket that, if elected, will be a benefit and credit to Woburn. We suspect they will adopt several of the names of those nominated last Friday evening—perhaps present all the names on that ticket with a very few exceptions. More light will be shed on the labors of these gentlemen—all working for the best good of the town—between this and election day, we have no doubt.

Last Saturday evening the Prohibitionists held a caucus and nominated a ticket to be supported at the polls by that small but hopeful and enthusiastic political party. They did well to adopt so many of the combination ticket nominated at the adjourned Republican caucus last Friday evening but would have done still better had they taken it in full. The following named persons constitute the Prohibitory ticket: For Town Clerk, Joseph G. Pollard; Treasurer, Theodore G. Boutelle; Selectmen, John K. Murdock, William R. Putnam, B. F. Kimball, William Ellard, William Babb, P. G. Hanson, L. Houghton Allen, Patrick Donahue, B. T. H. Porter; Sinking Fund Commissioner, E. W. Hudson; Water Commissioner, Edward C. Leathe; Cemetery Commissioner, Hiram Whitford; Trustee of Public Library, Oliver F. Bryant; Auditors, Edward C. Leathe, Charles R. Rosenquist, Fred J. Brown; Sexton, Charles E. Tripp; Collector, John G. Maguire; Constables, Rufus Pickering, E. Prior, J. W. Waters, Edward Simonds, C. W. Dorr, School Committee, D. W. Bond, Jennie K. Adams, Julius F. Ramsdell.

Besides these there will be split tickets till you can't rest.

School Meeting.

A regular meeting of the School Board was held last Tuesday evening. Only routine business was attended to. The following resolution, which explains itself, was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, Divine Providence, in the inscrutable wisdom of its ways, has removed from our midst Martha A. Russell who, for nearly twenty years had been a teacher, in the public schools of Woburn,

Resolved, that the School Committee do hereby express their profound regret at the loss of a most faithful and conscientious teacher, whose devotion to her duty and steadfastness in its performance were especially noteworthy; and, recognizing in her character that uniform kindness and gentle patience which won the highest respect and esteem of her pupils and raised up hosts of friends in this community, the Board unite in showing their appreciation of her services in years gone by, and tender their deepest sympathy to her family in their recent bereavement.

Card of Thanks.

Woburn Post, No. 161, Grand Army of the Republic, take this opportunity and this method to return their sincere thanks to the ladies and gentlemen who, by their gratuitous services and painstaking efforts, contributed so largely to make their recent course of entertainments so popular and successful. To the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, to you ladies and gentlemen, and a generous public who so liberally sustained us, our thanks are due and cheerfully tendered.

E. F. WYER,
JOHN E. TIDD,
GEORGE PARKER,
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Open evenings except Wednesdays and Fridays.

John Maxwell's Tannery Burned.

At half past 6, Monday evening, just after the hands had left the Eagle Tannery situated at No. Winchester near the Woburn line, owned by Mr. John Maxwell and carried on by John Maxwell & Co., the establishment was discovered to be on fire and in an incredible short space of time the main building, storehouse and machine shop were burned to ashes. Help was called for from Woburn and Stoneham and the firemen and machines of these near places were promptly on the spot, but their efforts to save the property were fruitless so far as the principal buildings were concerned. A suspicious circumstance connected with the fireman's work was the frequent and unaccountable bursting of hosepipe. Especially was this the case with the Woburn firemen's pipe until a person reported to them that their hose had been cut by parties which, if it were a fact, would throw strong suspicion on the origin of the fire. The fire was discovered in the northeast end of the main building, which was about two hundred feet long, eighty feet wide, four stories high, with a basement. The main building and the storehouses and machine shop were destroyed. The beam house was saved in a damaged condition. The loss on the buildings is estimated at $30,000. The machinery, which was all destroyed, was of the latest and most approved pattern. The loss on this will not be far from $25,000. The firm had a large amount of stock on hand, a small portion of which was saved. It is estimated that the loss on stock will not be far from $40,000.

The tannery was built about twenty years ago, but several additions have been made. The firm employed some two hundred hands and was doing a rushing business. Last fall and winter Mr. Maxwell had a good deal of trouble with strikers but he came out of it victorious and was feeling well over his affairs when this severe calamity befell him. He had recently finished a very large boarding house to be used in connection with his leather establishment and that was saved. The firemen worked heroically to save the property but it is next to impossible to rescue a leather factory from the flames when once it gets started. Mr. Maxwell is an energetic business man and will probably rebuild and continue the business, although his loss over and above the insurance must be heavy. He has the sympathy of many friends in Woburn, Winchester and Boston. As near as can be ascertained the insurance is as follows: Through the agency of W. D. Serratt of Boston $45,000; George O. Carpenter & Son, Boston, $13,000; S. B. Goddard of Woburn, $5,250; B. T. Porter of Woburn, $15,000, a portion of which was brokered through the office of W. D. Serratt of Boston.

Board of Trade.

President Flint sat at the head of the table at a special meeting of the Board of Trade last Wednesday evening, and Sec'y Conn was at his post. It was the largest that has been held for a long time and a live spirit pervaded its deliberations.

The object of the special session was to consider the matter of a few changes in the organic law of the Board, petitioned for by Mr. F. H. Lewis. A warm discussion grew out of the proposition which was participated in by nearly all members present and threw much light on the constitution. The notice for the constitutional amendments, including one presented by Major H. C. Hall, will be acted at the next or some other meeting of the full Board.

The most important matter attended to was to appoint a committee consisting of James Skinner, F. B. Dodge and F. H. Lewis to confer with the projectors of the Haverhill and Lowell railroad as to their designs, etc., and report at an early day.

Between 30 and 40 representative business men of the town took an active part in the meeting, which was a good one all the way through.

North Woburn.

NOTICE: An adjourned meeting of the Rumford Historical Society will be held at 7½ o'clock, Friday evening, April 8th, in the vestry of the Congregational church, No. Woburn. Mr. Wm. R. Cutter, Town Librarian, is expected to read a paper on the "Sources of Woburn History." All are cordially invited to be present.

"Can't eat a thing," Hood's Sarsaparilla is a wonderful medicine for creating an appetite, regulating digestion, and giving strength.

NEXT TERM AT THE

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Those who feel the need of perfecting themselves in their work of instructing others, will find, here, all requirements fully met. What exercises, studies and other works, are necessary for the proper advancement of pupils are discussed.

☞ Appointments for consultation had better be made by mail, to better suit mutual convenience.

Address, F. H. LEWIS, Woburn.

Electric Street-Lighting.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will take any action looking to the lighting of the centre or business portion of the centre of the town by electric lights, authorize an agreement for lighting same for a term of years, or do anything in relation to the same.

There is nothing unreasonable in the above request, but, rather, it is one the town ought to be interested in, to consider, and vote on next Monday the right way. The article, we suppose, has reference to lighting the streets by N. J. Simonds and was inserted in the Warrant to enable the town to empower its officers to contract with him for such lighting if disposed to do so and the right kind of terms can be made with him. There has been a good deal of talk of late about illuminating the streets by the arc lights and since Mr. Simonds has had them in operation in a few places quite a strong public desire has grown up to have the number multiplied and all of them continued. So the above article was put into the Warrant to enable the people to vote on the question of changing from gas to electricity providing satisfactory arrangements can be made with Mr. Simonds for the latter, and this is what they are requested to do on Town Meeting day.

Probably the Gas Company will not approve of the change although even if the town should make a bargain with Mr. Simonds in accordance with the article and he should supply the street lights under it the Gas Company would not be seriously effected thereby because only the "centre or business portion of the centre of the town" would be included in the contract and under that the Company would lose only a few of its present lights. But the Gas Company has no lien on the town any more than any body else has. It has had the lighting of our streets for a good many years, has done it well, and got fair pay for it, and now if another concern comes to the front and stands ready to compete with the Gas Co. for furnishing the illumination it ought not to be cut off from the privilege of doing so. The voters should look at this question, examine it fairly, and vote right on it. For ourselves we can see no reason why the article should not be adopted almost unanimously. Mr. Simonds has invested about $40,000 here in electrical machinery with which to furnish our town with the arc and incandescent lights and he should therefore have a fair chance with the Gas Co. and the encouragement and support of the people. And then again it might as well be acknowledged one time as another by everybody, owners of gas stock included, that electricity as an illuminator has come to stay, for progress means to go ahead, advancement never retrogrades, nor revolutions revolve backwards.

W. H. F. A. W. Fair Notes.

Be careful at the Fair and not be run down by the pop corn team.

Spring is coming. The first peanut stand of the season will be opened in Lyceum Hall, April 6.

A real live Old Woman in the Shoe! Let all the children be introduced to her at the Hall, Fast afternoon.

Do not fail to be present at Dolls' Reception, Lyceum Hall, April 6 and 7. Every guest will receive a wedding card and a box of wedding cake.

Connected with the coming Fair for the Home for Aged Women will be a large, well filled Art Gallery. Mr. Albert Thompson tells the reporter that more than 30 paintings mostly by artists of note have been promised and others will be secured. The rooms lately occupied by the Selectmen will be used for the exhibition.

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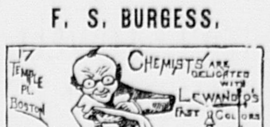

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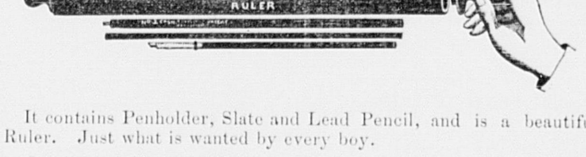

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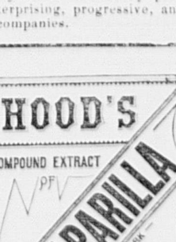
More Cars.

Mr. Frank H. Monks, Treasure and Purchasing Agent for the North Woburn and Stoneham Street Railroad Companies, returned from New York a few days since where he went to contract for more cars for these lines of roads. He ordered at satisfactory figures 30 open summer and 10 box cars for the Stoneham route, and four more open ones for the North Woburn company. These will all be of the latest styles and thoroughly made by the best manufacturers in New York State. No street railroads in Boston or its suburbs can boast of finer cars or better horses than the two above named.

A few days since Mr. Gilman F. Jones, Superintendent of both roads, contracted with Mr. Lewis F. Bond of No. Woburn for 20 sets of firstclass new harnesses for the companies which will be ready for use by the time the road is built from here to Stoneham, or as soon as the Company want them. This large addition to the number of cars now running by both companies (the two corporations are virtually one); the purchase of harnesses for more horses of course, and other preparations, all look as though every accommodation required for the comfort, convenience and pleasure of the travelling community will be abundantly provided by these enterprising, progressive, and liberal minded companies.



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In Marathon, N. Y., Patrick J. McHugh, aged 22 years, 1 month, 2 days.
In Woburn, March 27, George Rice, aged 50 yrs.
In North Reading, March 26, Daniel F. Putnam, aged 69 years.

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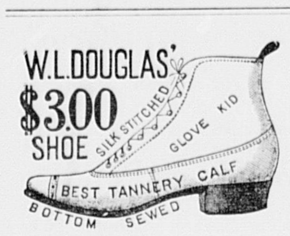

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WINCHESTER.

Mrs. E. Bangs of this place will have charge of a table at the Homeopathic festival to be given in Boston soon. A "high tea" is to be a prominent feature of the affair.

Some of our people act just as though they would like to help "rig a purchase" to expel every manufacturing establishment in town and to keep them all out. Perhaps it would be a good plan to let them have their way, and then sow the town down to grass.

The West Siders are pricking up their ears over the report we hear about the Haverhill railroad that intends to build a line from Haverhill via Lawrence, Wilmington, Woburn, Winchester, Arlington and Belmont, thence by connections with the Fitchburg road into Boston. This would give Winchester another railroad just where she most needs and wants it. I understand the old bed of the Mystic Valley road will be used to this place when it will leave it for Arlington. The building of this line would be a big thing for the West Side of Winchester, and the general impression is it will be built. For one I hope so for personal reasons.

Last Monday the sovereign people of this beautiful and and peaceful town assembled in annual Town Meeting for the election of officers and to transact other important business. This is a correct record, condensed into the smallest possible limits, of the meeting, which was a harmonious one: Moderator, John T. Wilson; Selectman for 3 years, James Russel; Assessor for 3 years, Warren Johnson; Treasurer, George W. Spurr; Town Clerk, George W. Spurr; Collector of Taxes, George W. Spurr; Member or Water Board for 3 years, David N. Skillings; Auditors, Thomas S. Spurr, Edward H. Stone, Edward A Smith; Trustee of Town Library for 3 years, Lewis Parkhurst; Board of Health, Frederick Winsor, Abraham B. Coffin, Edward A. Brackett; Member of Cemetery Committee for 5 years, Charles E. Redfern; Fish Committee, George E. Rogers, Henry J. Winde, George L. Huntress; Superintendent of Streets, Nathaniel A. Richardson; Constables, J. W. Richardson, J. W. Heminway, H. W. Hight, H. W. Plummer, Timothy Haley; School Committee, Daniel March, Jr., Marian M. Twombly. License vote—Yes, 47; no, 287. Appropriations—Schools and school purposes, $20,325; Library, dog money and $1100; highways and bridges, $7500; care ice and snow, $500; watering streets, $500; sidewalks, $500; shade trees, $200; street lights, $2000; Common and public plots, $250; Water Works, maintenance, $3800; incidentals, $2500; Fire Department, $2500; hydrants, $1200; forest fires, $100; poor, $3800; Memorial Day, $150; cemeteries, $1000; town officers, $2825; police, $1200; suppressing liquor traffic, $500; interest, $11-000; payment town notes, $13,000; grading junction Main and Washington streets, $300.

A Railway Enterprise.

[Special Despatch to the Boston Advertiser.]

LAWRENCE, March 24.—According to the statement of a Haverhill gentleman who was in the city to-day, the capitalists of that city have on foot a scheme of much greater magnitude than their efforts to secure a route for the Haverhill & Lawrence Railroad would imply. The corporations of this city have all along opposed the Haverhill-Lawrence Railroad coming into this city, alleging as a reason that the route laid out along Canal street is impracticable. The stockholders of the new road, however, believe that the Canal street route is the only feasible way of getting into the city. But a compromise has been made between the corporations and the new railroad, in so far that they have agreed upon an engineer who is to decide whether the Canal street route is or is not feasible. If found to be practicable, the board of aldermen will grant the new road an entrance.

Recent events, however, seem to show that the Haverhill capitalists have other ends in view beyond controlling a line to Lawrence. The gentleman above referred to, who is a heavy stockholder in the proposed Haverhill & Lawrence road, said that the stockholders were determined to build the line. When asked whether the leasing of the Boston & Lowell to the Boston & Maine might not deter them he replied that it would not.

"In any case," he said, "we shall build the Haverhill & Lawrence Railroad. Further than that we are going to have a line of our own to Boston. This is not a new idea. We shall run our road from Lawrence to Andover, passing near Smith & Dove's mills in that town, and thence going to Wilmington. Near the Boston & Maine station in Wilmington we shall strike the roadbed of the Mystic Valley Railroad, built about 10 years ago; Nathan P. Pratt of Reading was the originator of it. It was not entirely completed although the roadbed was done, and part of the rails laid. About that time, Pratt was arrested for embezzling the funds of the Reading bank, of which he was treasurer. He was tried and convicted and the whole scheme collapsed, as Pratt was the leading spirit in the enterprise. But though the corporation went to pieces and lost its charter, the roadbed still remains and is in good condition. About 10 miles of this we propose to use, that is, as far as Winchester.

"This line runs through Wilmington, crossing the Boston & Lowell overhead between the Wilmington and South Wilmington stations. Then it runs down through North Woburn and Woburn to the west of the Woburn extension of the Boston & Lowell, thence to Winchester. Here we shall leave the Mystic Valley roadbed, run along west of Mystic Pond, through Arlington and Somerville, and passing through either Belmont or Cambridge, we have not yet decided which, to the main line of the Fitchburg over which we shall enter Boston.

"A great deal of the territory through which we shall pass has at present no railroad facilities, and offers many advantages in the way of freight and passenger traffic. A liberal estimate of the cost of constructing this line is $25,000 per mile. The distance is 34 miles and at that rate the total cost would be $850,000. But we have a roadbed 10 miles long which might be said to be ready for the iron—the Mystic line—that will decrease the cost to a great extent. Nearly all the money necessary has been tacitly pledged, and we can get as much more as is needed. The consolidation of the Boston & Maine and Boston & Lowell would be the best thing in the world for our plans; but, consolidation or no consolidation, we are going to have a line of our own into Boston and Haverhill capital will build it and operate it after it is built."

BURLINGTON.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Edgerly have been engaged to take charge of the almshouse, another year.

Mrs. M. E. S. Curtis spoke on "Woman Suffrage and the Home" at the annual meeting of the National Woman Suffrage Association of Massachusetts, in Boston, March 24.

The performance of "Caste" by members of the Literary Union, on Wednesday evening of last week, was well attended and gave good satisfaction. The Woburn Orchestra furnished excellent music.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL.—No preaching on April 3 and 10.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. by Rev. William R. Algar of Boston.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10 30 a. m.: Communion service at 2.30 p. m.; young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; Preaching followed by baptism at 7 p. m. Prayer meetings on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evening at 7.30 p. m.

METHODIST.—Sermon by the Pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Sacrament at 2.30 p. m.; young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; general prayer service at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Class meeting Friday evening, at 7.30.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10 30 a. m. Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Monthly Concert: written testimonies to the value of faith in Christ at 7 p. m. Meetings on Wednesday evening at 7.30, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock and Friday evening at 7.30.

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Count Rumford's 134th Birthday.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE WOBURN JOURNAL: On Saturday, March 26th, was the 134th Birthday anniversary of Woburn's greatest scientist, Count Rumford.

The Rumford Historical Association therefore held their annual meeting for choice of officers, reports of committees, election of new members, and the transaction of the usual routine work of such societies, in the Rumford building at No. Woburn at 7.30 P. M.

Quite a goodly number of members were present and much interest was manifested.

In the absence of the President, Hon. John Cummings, who has repeatedly aided the Society by word and by deed, Leonard Thompson, Esq., a Trustee and Director of the Association, was called to the chair.

Reports of the last year then followed. The Society has lost by death three members. Of two of these these, Mrs. Patty Fisher, and our late Postmaster, and valued officer of the Association, Nathan Wyman, Esq., obituary notices had already been placed in the Society's records, and a similar notice was ordered to be placed in the records, of our late member, Dea. C. R. Thompson.

The election of officers resulted in the reelection of last year's Board of officers and trustees.

The names of the following gentlemen were then proposed for membership, and were promptly declared elected, upon their complying with the Society's rules and regulations in reference to new members. These men were, Messrs. Edward Munyan, Dr. Josiah P. Bixby, Minot J. Buckman of No. Woburn, and Horace W. Thompson, a manufacturer of Bellows Falls, Vt., Eben Francis Thompson, a lawyer of Worcester, Mass., James Thompson, Esq., a farmer of Hooksett, N. H.

The Association passed votes of thanks to Mr. Patrick McGowen, who has often, and very recently shown by tangible proof his interest in the Society, and to Mr. Abijah Thompson of Winchester for Vols. of the Winchester Record, and to our Trustee and Director, Marshall Tidd, Esq., whose skill and help in recent repairs made upon the old roof and chimneys of the Rumford House were duly appreciated. Mr. Tidd also presented some 40 relics of the old Rumford birthplace in the shape of various little plaque-like articles turned from the old ash and willow trees, which over 175 years ago were growing near the old house—a fine photograph of the memorial window of Deacon B. F. Thompson of the First Congregational Church, of Winchester, and presented to the Association by his sons Abijah and Stephen Thompson, had been beautifully framed with Rumford ash by Mr. Tidd, and the whole picture was regarded as, in a double sense, a beautiful object.

The thanks of the Society were voted also to Mr. C. C. Foster, long a resident among the people of North Woburn, for a hammer made by his grandfather, William Foster, of Reading, Mass., more than 125 years ago. In contrast with the present expensive finishing and comfortable appurtenances of churches, a pair of hinges taken from the door of one of the square pews of the old church at Burlington, erected over 150 years ago, showed decided advance in the line of æsthetic taste. Mr. Foster also received thanks for an old bitstock with two bits attached. These old tools of the carpenter were said to look, eighty years ago, precisely as they do at gresent. We believe that such tangible and evident specimens of our ancestor's tools, coarse and clumsy though they appear to the modern eye, never fail to arouse most hearty interest in the noble and patriotic men who once used them. Next a vote of thanks was extended to Charles M. Strout of Woburn for a very interesting set of three liquid measures, and to another friend, through Leander Thompson, for two more similar objects. These articles were made of polished pewter or britannia, showed careful workmanship, and we were assured were very old. These at once as might be expected, elicited most hearty interest from all present and much discussion. The general opinion of the members present seemed to be that, the three beautifully shaped and well-preserved specimens given by Mr. Strout seemed to point to an old *French* workmanship, in as much as the *covers* of the measures bore almost evident traces of the Royal insignia of that country, the Fleur-de-lis. The other two were of evident English make and stamp, and appeared to have been much used. Readers of "ye English of ye olden time" seemed pleased to find on the larger of these two measures and beneath the name of the maker the, to the Yankee sight and hearing, somewhat mysterious stamp, QUARTERN. A curious relic of our sister state Connecticut's severity with her criminals was presented by E. A. Thompson. It was once, in olden time, a part of the State Prison lock of that most justly dreaded prison, sometimes styled the "Connecticut Newgate." This State Prison occupied the subterranean passages of an old copper-mine whose damp depths furnished only two shafts to the light and air outside the mine. Long ladders reaching to this pair of breathing holes, and these openings to the shafts, were duly capped at night by heavy lids securely fastened and bolted down by the contrivance given by Mr. Thompson. Many noted Tories were once confined in this local inferno, which was in the town of Simsbury.

Some remarks followed by gentlemen of the society who had been witnesses of the good accomplished by the Rolfe and Rumford Orphan Asylum situated in Concord, N. H. Reference was also made to the fine new Goffe Historical and Memorial Building of the old town of Rehoboth, Mass., not far from the city of Providence, R. I. Although this fine modern building is in many respects a perfect contrast to the old Rumford House its chief promoter and most zealous friend, in his frequent visits to our society, always generously insists that he derived the main ideas for the Goffe Historical Society of Rehoboth from Woburn's Rumford Association.

After some remarks regarding the great pleasure anticipated by the society, and all others who please to attend, from the adjourned meeting in the vestry of the Congregational Church at 7.30 P. M., April 8, the Association adjourned to that date, at which time Mr. William R. Cutter, our efficient town librarian, is expected to read a paper on "The Sources of Woburn History."

E. A. THOMPSON, Corr, Sec'y.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Every school boy and girl in town should hear Mr. H. W. Leach at Y. M. C. A. rooms next Tuesday evening.

The meetings of the Association were never better attended or a livelier interest manifested in them than at the present time.

On Tuesday evening next Mr. H. W. Leach, one of the survivors of the "Jeannette Expedition," will relate his exciting and very interesting experience at the rooms of the Association, to which an admission charge of 10 cents will be exacted except in the case of members whose membership tickets will pass at the doors. This will be an interesting lecture and as the price of admission is merely nominal the hall will probably be filled with interested listeners.

Vote for Good Men.

We desire to make one more effort to impress on the minds of the voters of this town the importance of electing good men to office next Town Meeting day. The JOURNAL has been saying for several weeks that it would not be a wise thing to allow partisan politics to cut a conspicuous figure in the election because if that were done the chances for getting poor Boards of officers would be greatly enhanced and the defeat of the real friends of a clean local government as good as guaranteed. What Woburn wants and needs is an honest and economical administration of its public affairs and in order to insure it prudent and capable men must be elected to do the business. Crowd party feeling, preferences and prejudices one side and go in for the choice of clean, able men to fill the different posts with, and the town will be all the better for so doing. We hope this feeling will prevail next Monday because through it the town would stand a chance of getting better officers than it will if party spirit is to rule and govern things.

Interesting Items.

Mr. J. W. Hammond has filled his large and pleasant store full of clothing, head and neck-gear, furnishing goods etc., as the reader may learn by calling there.

From the loads of advertising it carries it is safe to conclude that Boston business men as well as Woburn merchants regard the JOURNAL as a very valuable advertising medium and in this they are right. The number and character of its readers render its columns of great value to business men as a medium through which to address the public.

All our readers should read the special announcement of Messrs. Brine & Norcross in another column. It is original and full of interesting facts.

Messrs, Copeland and Bowser, after a brief absence, have returned to the JOURNAL with their announcement to the public which will be varied in form through the season as circumstances may demand. They have a large stock of prime and fashionable spring dry, dress and fancy goods, to which they direct public attention.

Our old, constant and esteemed Boston patron, Mr. Charles H. Barnes, tells in another column of the JOURNAL this week about the great stocks of different kinds of goods he has to sell and imparts information concerning them which is valuable to the public. Mr. Barnes is the proprietor of a solid and reliable establishment.

Special attention is directed to the advertisement of Messrs. J. & J. Dobson. This house manufacture their own goods and sell direct to the retail trade. By purchasing from this house you save all intermediate profits.

This has been the most singular March in some respects that we have had for many years.

The Lewis Music School.

Many of our people are probably not aware of the advantages presented them for a musical education, right here in our midst. Last Fall Mr. F. H. Lewis established a school for music students, with a view to affording advantages only found in Schools, Academies, and the like. The school is the result of well matured plans, and the well-known ability of the projector is a permanent guarantee of its success. Since New Year's nearly every week an evening has been set apart for the entertainment of a pupil connected with the school. On these occasions the pupil is expected to play before friends, the object being to enable the pupil to acquire confidence. These entertainments include, also, a few choice selections by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis. Evenings are set apart besides the above, for reading at sight, duets, trios, &c. The first year of the school is proving such a success, that arrangements are being made to add other teachers to meet the prospective demand. At present Mr. and Mrs. Lewis carry on the work, three branches of study being offered,—organ and piano-forte playing, besides composition, (harmony, counter point, etc.) The Summer Term opens April 18. New pupils can get particulars by reading the notice in the JOURNAL.

Thompson's Liniment.

I had thrown up my food more or less for two years and suffered very much because of it. Last March I used Thompson's liniment and in two weeks was cured. I am as well as ever now and can eat any food I please. COLUMBUS BRUSE, Boston.

The question is asked this time of year what is the best spring medicine to use to regulate the stomsch and improve the appetite. We answer, Thompson's liniment is the best and cheapest remedy we know of for that purpose. 500 doses for 50 cents: for sale at the drugstores.

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Our graves with our teeth" is a trite but true saying. CHIPMAN'S PILLS relieve indigestion and cure contingent disorders, such as sick headache, biliousness, etc. They are purely vegetable; mild and pleasant in their action, Try them. For sale by all druggists.

There's quite a suggestion in the present age for old furniture, undoubtedly good specimens of antique goods will always bring high prices. So when you buy anything in that line buy good, durable, well made goods. You can get them at low prices at B. A. Atkinson & Co's, 827 Washington street, Boston.

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The eyes are always in sympathy with the body, and afford an excellent index of its condition. When the eyes become weak, and the lids inflamed and sore, it is an evidence that the system has become disordered by Scrofula, for which Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best known remedy.

Scrofula, which produced a painful inflammation in my eyes, caused me much suffering for a number of years. By the advice of a physician I commenced taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. After using this medicine a short time I was completely

Cured

My eyes are now in a splendid condition, and I am as well and strong as ever.—Mrs. William Gage, Concord, N. H.

For a number of years I was troubled with a humor in my eyes, and was unable to obtain any relief until I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medicine has effected a complete cure, and I believe it to be the best of blood purifiers.—C. E. Upton, Nashua, N. H.

From childhood, and until within a few months, I have been afflicted with Weak and Sore Eyes. I have used for these complaints, with beneficial results, Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and consider it a great blood purifier.—Mrs. C. Phillips, Glover, Vt.

I suffered for a year with inflammation in my left eye. Three ulcers formed on the ball, depriving me of sight, and causing great pain. After trying many other remedies, to no purpose, I was finally induced to use Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and,

By Taking

three bottles of this medicine, have been entirely cured. My sight has been restored, and there is no sign of inflammation, sore, or ulcer in my eye.—Kendal T. Bowen, Sugar Tree Ridge, Ohio.

My daughter, ten years old, was afflicted with Scrofulous Sore Eyes. During the last two years she never saw light of any kind. Physicians of the highest standing exerted their skill, but with no permanent success. On the recommendation of a friend I purchased a bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which my daughter commenced taking. Before she had used the third bottle her sight was restored, and she can now look steadily at a brilliant light without pain. Her cure is complete.—W. E. Sutherland, Evangelist, Shelby City, Ky.

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Indorsed by Physicians. Used by thousands.

IT WILL CURE YOU.

NO OPIUM IN IT. Mothers, you can conquer that dreadful foe, CROUP, with it. Have it on hand and save the Child. Sold by Druggists. TRY IT

DOG SHOW.

Mechanics' Hall, Huntington Ave.

APRIL 5, 6, 7, 8.

1057 NOTED PRIZE DOGS. The biggest show ever held in America. 20 CELEBRATED TRICK DOGS perform day and evening. Admission 50c., five tickets for $2. Children half price.

N. B. Special Attractions FAST DAY, April 7.

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By an American lady, a position as housekeeper in a widower's family; consider myself competent and reliable, and very desirous of getting a permanent situation. Address, H. A. R., rear 14 High street, Lynn, Mass.

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An apprentice in the Millinery Department.

MRS. J. H. PARKER.

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SPIRIT OF COMPETITION.

There's nothing on earth so mysteriously funny as a modern advertisement. They are built to do hard work. It would appear that customers had to be knocked down with loud statements, and kicked insensible with bankrupt reductions, and dragged in with irresistible slaughter of prices before they would spend a cent.

In their eagerness to crush out all competitors, the modern advertiser strains constantly after cheapness. It is one monotonous appeal to the supposed popular demand for cheap things. Sacrifice, wholesale slaughter, and owing to this or that fact (which is not a fact at all in many cases), assuring the reading public that full lines of Hosiery will be sold at half cost, and that $2.50 Gloves will be sold at 75c.

These are specimens of the way in which the modern quack advertiser appeals to the credulity of human nature.

The effort is made to persuade the buyer that he is getting what he buys for less than cost. It must be obvious to every reflecting person that such stuff is humbug.

We buy our goods for CASH at headquarters, and we sell them at retail at the smallest living profit for CASH. We receive new goods in every department every working day in the year.

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We offer 200 dozen Brass Photograph Frames at 10c. each.

We offer our own importation of Hosiery for Ladies, Misses and Children at our usual low prices.

We offer our own importation of Kid Gloves at 50c., 70c., 75c., $1.00 and $1.38, and no house has a better assortment of colors or better value for the money.

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On the Afternoon and Evening of

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Among the many attractions will be Music each evening, and the following tables, whose supervision is volunteered by the different local parishes and associations:

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Single Admission,	25 Cents.
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A complete new stock direct from New York Markets. Stylish trimmed Hats and Bonnets, and all the latest styles and novelties of the Season.

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Warranted *absolutely pure* Cocoa, from which the excess of Oil has been removed. It has *three times the strength* of Cocoa mixed with Starch, Arrowroot or Sugar, and is therefore far more economical, *costing less than one cent a cup.* It is delicious, nourishing, strengthening, easily digested, and admirably adapted for invalids as well as for persons in health.

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NOTICE.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Trustees of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank will be held at their Banking Rooms on Friday, April 1, 1887, at 7.30 P. M., for the transaction of such business as may legally come before said meeting.

E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk.

Money deposited on or before Saturday, April 9, 1887, will draw interest from April 1.

E. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

Woburn, March 24, 1887.

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It has astonished most of the skilled Physicians. While it cures the Cough it strengthens the blood, the system and purifies the blood.

Sold by Druggists and Dealers. Price 10 c, 35 c, and 75 c.

WOBURN

Skating Academy,

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Friday Evening, April 1.
N. E. League Game of Polo. WOBURNS vs. PAWTUCKETS.

Saturday Evening, April 2.
N. E. League Game of Polo. WOBURNS vs. BOSTONS.

Wednesday Evening, April 6.
N. E. League Game of Polo. WOBURNS vs. NEW BEDFORDS.

Admission, 15 cents. Skates, 10 Cents. Reserved Seats, 10 Cents. Skating, 7.30. Reserved Seats for Polo sale at Lane's News Depot, 158 Main street. Polo game called at 8.40 sharp. Music, Ross Band. H. H. Barnes, Floor Manager.

W. E. CARTER, Proprietor.

PURE

MILK.

I am engaged in sale and delivery of PURE MILK to the people of Woburn from my farm on Cambridge street, and respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

Orders left at Buckman & White's Grocery Store, 209 Main Street, will be promptly attended to.

P. G. HANSON,

Woburn, Jan. 18, 1886.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the Estate of Margaret Gallagher, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John H. Flynn, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this tenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

12-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Daniel Mullen, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Patrick E. Tenney of said Woburn, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may issued to him, the executrix named in said will having declined the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

10-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

FOR SALE.

The farm of the late LUTHER A. FOWLE, situated on Lexington street, about one mile west of Woburn Center, containing about NINETY ACRES—thirty acres of wood, the remainder divided into tillage, mowing, and pasture. The land is level, easy to work, very productive and is one of the most valuable and desirable farms in this vicinity, either for market gardening, general farming, stock raising, or dairy. The house is two story; contains nine rooms, and is in good condition. Large new barn, conveniently arranged and has cellar. The celebrated HIAWATHA GROVE, is on this farm: it is a popular resort for pleasure parties, and will yield a good income.

For further particulars inquire of

L. HOUGHTON ALLEN

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G. A. R. Attention!

WANTED—An Agent in every G. A. R. Post in New England for "Knapsack and Rifle," written by a soldier from the ranks, and elegantly illustrated. This book contains a complete chronology of the war and a Digest of the Pension Laws of the United States, which makes it valuable to every Grand Army man. Apply to W. H. THOMPSON & CO., 32 Hawley Street, Boston.

Miss Annie L. Cummings,

Teacher of Piano-Forte,

North Woburn, Mass.

Reference—Prof. S. M. Downs, teacher in Bradford and Abbott Academies.

Magnum Bonum.

(A GREAT GOOD.)

A sure and positive CURE for DYSPEPSIA, CONSTIPATION, SICK HEADACHE, and all disorders of the STOMACH. For sale by

C. H. BUSS, Druggist,

Main Street, Woburn, Mass

BOGUS BUTTER.

Butterine, or Oleomargarine, has come to stay and is a a sweet, wholesome and perfect substitute for fine Butter. Order a 10 pound sample tub of

J. F. FRYE and CO., 9 John Street, Boston.

Woman's Column.

Goethe's mother could not have written Faust, but she formed and molded and influenced the man who did. In almost all the histories of great men, it is the mother, not the father, whose influence and teaching are directly traceable; and it is a remark as trite as the thing is common, that great men do not often produce great sons, but almost all great men have had notable mothers.

At Wellesley College, not long since, the president invited all young women who felt moved to go as missionaries to confer with her, and no less than eighty responded.

There is no educational institution in America which has done for women the work of Mt. Holyoke. The work was that of the pioneer, creating sympathy and forming public opinion. Yet Mt. Holyoke has been seriously neglected by gift-givers, having not one endowed chair. The alumni association of the seminary is making efforts to raise $20,000 as a "Mary Lyon fund." Such a tribute to the memory of the noble founder of women's colleges is one in which every woman who believes in, or has enjoyed, a higher education, in whatever institution, can well afford to join.

Among the bills brought up for the consideration of the Senate soon after the opening of Congress, was one by Mr. Blair of New Hampshire, advising the following amendment to the constitution of the United States:

"The rights of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on acount of sex. Since 1869 the application for the submission of this amendment has been consecutively made. The agitation for suffrage has not been without fruits. Utah, Wyoming, and and Washington Territory have granted full suffrage to women. Eleven States allow school suffrage. In many States women are elected to school offices, in Kansas and Iowa to the offices of county clerk and register of deeds, and in every State they are appointed postmasters. The concessions indicate that greater will come.

The free South is making a brave beginning in literary art with her Miss Murfrees, her Cables, her Chandler Harrises and her many newer aspirants and the great West never looks back when once she sets out, as she has now set out to achieve a literature.

Mrs. M. H. Catherwood has written stories and sketches for the Eastern magazines with such power that she may well be classed along with Rose Terry Cooke and Miss Jewett: not that she has quite the graphic energy of the former or wholly the almost perfect style of the latter, but she has originality and the indescribable quality of genius; a slender but exquisite strain of freshness, racy of the prairie soil; runs through her work, making it as truly Western as it is delicately delicious.

Mrs. Susan E. Wallace, Mrs. Bolton, Mrs. Harbert and Mrs. Emily H. Miller have done good work in journalism and book-making and Mrs. Bates in "The Chamber Over the Gate" shows large ability as a novelist.

Susan Hayes Ward, writes in her "In-door Employments for Women." A graduate of Hampton Institute, and also of my kitchen, went to Virginia last year to teach her own people. She was a member of our church, she sat in our pew, she joined us at family prayers, she read Milton's "Paradise Lost," Bryant's "Homer," and "Plutarch's Lives," and bought a choice copy of Tennyson to give her best friend. She was a lady in dress and manner, and she was as much a member of the family as I myself; and yesterday I saw on my housemaid's table a big copy of Schiller opened just where she had stopped reading, somewhere in "Wilhelm Tell." And these are not striking examples. Any woman who does housework whether from a sense of duty as mistress, or for wages as maid, has ample opportunity to develope body and mind in her daily calling, and is more likely to do so than the factory or shopgirl.

The question of governesses, nursery, or otherwise, I shall not enlarge upon except to say that for the wages given, it is surprising that any trustworthy or intelligent person can be secured. As classes, nursery maids in middle class families and governesses are overworked and underpaid.

Any woman who is determined to become a bread-winner can do so successfully, if she turns her hand to the first thing that offers no matter how humble, and does it with her might, following out with faithfulness George Herbert's rule of making drudgery divine.

The paper of Miss Mary E. Byrd, an assistant in the mathematical department of Carleton College, on Popular Fallacies about Observatories, delivered at the laying of the corner stone of the new observatory last fall, is being extensively copied by scientific papers in England and on the Continent.

Wednesday, February, 23, the Boston school committee elected Mrs. Louisa P. Hopkins of New Bedford as one of the supervisors, in place of the late Miss Crocker.

The movement to secure the appointment of matrons at the police stations, to care for female prisoners is gathering force in Boston, and undoubtedly will succeed; and the amazing thing in connection with it is that it never has been made before. The neglect to provide such matrons is a relic of barbarism.

Mr. Cook in his lecture February 20, said: As to the Woman's Christian Temperance Union striking hands with the Knights of Labor, he would indorse what Miss Willard would do. She is the best known and best loved woman in America. The W. C. T. Union is the noblest band of women known to history. Powderly is a Catholic, Miss Willard a Methodist; if they can join hands, they may, as she says, "lift civilization to a tableland across which Christ may walk."

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Literary Notices.

The numbers of THE LIVING AGE for March 19th and 26th contain The Present Position of European Politics, and Earthquakes, Notes and Queries on the Irish Demand, by Mr. Gladstone, William Barnes and his Poems of Rural Life in the Dorset Dialect, Mary, Countess Cowper, Some Old Advertisements, and Rhymes on Panes, The Cannings, Philip Bourke Marston, A Bundle of Letters 1603-1607, and The French Soldier at home, with instalments of Richard Cable, the Lightshipman, A Social Difficulty, Major and Minor, and poetry. A new volume begins with April. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 monthlies with THE LIVING AGE for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for April opens with an article on The Southern Gateway of the Alleghanies (the city of Chattanooga, Tenn.), by Edmund Kirke, in continuation of the timely series of Southern papers introduced by Mr. Warner's admirable descriptions of New Orleans and The Acadian Land. The article shows the extraordinary advantages by which nature has marked Chattanooga as conspicuously fitted to be the site of a great city, and which explain its prominence in Revolutionary struggles, in the Rebellion, and in the wonderful strides of recent Southern progress. The thrilling episodes of colonial times are graphically illustrated by Howard Pyle, and the picturesque aspects of the present Chattanooga by Harry Fenn. The other papers are The Comedie Francaise, splendidly illustrated, Norka, The Stubblefield Contingents, Springhaven, How Workingmen live in Europe and America, April Hopes, Mexican Notes, Back from the Frozen Pole, Editor's departments, etc.

**HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Company, 14-20 Franklin street, Boston, and at S. Horton's Old Woburn Bookstore.

THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY for April contains many articles in which everybody will be interested. Dr. Willam A. Hammond draws a vivid picture of the evils of the book-cramming process which prevails too much in all our schools, and pleads for fewer studies, more direct contacts with Nature, and less of the intervention of books. Astronomy with an Opera-Glass shows how much can be done with simple instruments. In Social and Physiological Inequality, Dr. H. D. Chapin views a problem with which the trades-unions are trying to cope. Mr. Barton W. Evermann explains the method recommended by the American Ornithologists' Union for the study of the periodical coming and going of birds. Professor L. R. F. Griffin describes A Remarkable Explosion of a store of dynamite which took place near Chicago last August. Mr. L. W. Robarts gives an account of Turpentine-Farming. In the History of a Delusion, the true character of the legend of the mysterious Caspar Hauser is shown up. Dr. Robson Roose tells some things about Infection and Disinfection. Mr. F. Weber makes an analysis of the Melody in Speech. A paper by Professor Huxley, is given. Dr. Werner Siemens's address on The Scientific Age is given. Professor W. Preyer defines the True Aim of Physiology to be the study of function. A sketch and portrait are given of Professor Leo Lesquereux, the distinguished palæo-botanist. The Editor's Table is occupied with discussions of Science and Statesmanship, and The Growth of Industrialism, and the other departments are quite up to their usual standard of fullness and excellence. New York: D. Appleton & Company. Fifty cents a number, $5 a year.

The opening article of the April CENTURY is also the beginning of the series of papers on English Cathedrals, the introduction to which was printed in the March number—the text being by Mrs. M. G. van Rensselaer and the illustrations by Joseph Pennell. Upon this work Mr. Pennell has been engaged for many months, and the illustrations printed in this article on the "Mother Church of England," as Mrs. van Rensselaer characterizes Canterbury, show a union of architectural faithfulness and picturesque interest unusual in drawings of such subjects. The edifice is shown from different points of view and in many aspects of light and shade. The aim of this series is to make a popular presentation, not only of the interesting points in the history of English architecture, but also of its artistic beauty.

The number also contains Little Compton, continuation of Life of Lincoln, Hundredth Man, Some Portraits of Hawthorne, all finely illustrated, Church and Meetinghouse, Before the Revolution, The Margin of Profits, English as She is Taught, Chickamauga, in the War series, by Gen. D. H. Hill, Editorial Departments, Poetry, Open Letters, etc., etc.

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A Japanese, whose name was Okaura, has been a great social lion at New York for the past six weeks. Until he came to this country he had never been outside of Japan, and yet he speaks the English language perfectly, and writes it with great fluency. He was sent here by his government to report upon the progress of the fine arts in the United States and in Europe. He is an artist himself, a poet, a musician and a warrior, and a man of extraordinary intellectual powers.

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The early bird catches the worm, and sometimes a bad cold, which however does no injustice to the old proverb, for with the aid of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup colds are of no consequence. Price 25 cents.

History is apparently not a strong point in Victoria schools, according to The Bulletin, published in Sydney, the capital of the province. Inspector Taylor, who officiates in that colony, complains in his report that many children have hardly an idea who Queen Victoria is, and that when asked "What the Prince of Wales would be when the queen died," the unanimous answer was, "Please, sir, an orphan."

Ex-Congressman Weaver, Post Office Department, Washington, D. C., considers Red Star Cough Cure a remarkable remedial agents. It contains no dangerous narcotics and costs but twenty-five cents.

Ten years ago Miss Julia A. Malcom, a school teacher at New Haven, Conn., had jokingly presented to her by a friend a deed of certain lands in Colorado, which at the time were considered worthless by the owner. She had nearly forgotten the matter, when the other day a letter came from Colorado offering her $250,000 for the land, a rich mine having been discovered on it. The offer was accepted.

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When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria,

The Marquis of Queensberry is said to have offered to pay $20,000 toward the fund to be used in sending Stanley to the relief of Emin Bey, but Stanley preferred to pick his company and declined. It is calculated that it will cost $4,000 to carry each European from start to finish, and it is for this reason that Stanley decided to depend almost entirely upon the natives.

A commission appointed by the California Legislature reports that there are 2000 convicts in the State prisons, which is one to every 130 white voters. This is a fearful showing. The commission finds the principal sources of crime to be intemperance, ignorance, looseness of the marriage tie, opium and want of any trade or calling. The number of young criminals is very large and we are told that in 1881, with a compulsory education law, fully 50,000 between the age of 5 and 17 failed to attend school.

The circus has come North, having reached New York, and soon its vans, its elephants, its camels and its riders on graceful horses will awaken the quiet streets of New England towns into the customary excitement. The circus is certainly one of the most trustworthy signs of spring.

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Town Warrant.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Woburn, in said County, GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Woburn, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet at Lyceum Hall in said Woburn on MONDAY the Fourth day of April next, at seven and a half of the clock, A. M., to act on the following articles, viz:—

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

ARTICLE 2. To determine what amount of compensation shall be paid the Collector of Taxes, as required by Section 83, Chapter 12, of the Public Statutes; also the amount of compensation for Water Commissioners as required by Chapter 307, Section 5, Acts of 1871.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will authorize its Collectors of Taxes to use all means of collecting taxes, which the Town Treasurer, when appointed Collector, may use, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to consider the recommendation for appropriations for 1887-8 and any other articles which may be referred to them, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 5. To choose all necessary town officers to serve the town the ensuing year, including one Commissioner of Sinking Funds for three years; one Water Commissioner for three years; one Cemetery Commissioner for five years, and one Trustee of the Public Library for three years, all on one ballot; also three members of the School Committee for three years, on a separate ballot.

ARTICLE 6. To bring in their ballots as required by Section 5, Chapter 100, of the Public Statutes, on the question: "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

ARTICLE 7. To hear and act on the reports of the Auditors, Selectmen, School Committee, Library Trustees, Cemetery Commissioners, Water Commissioners, Sinking Fund Commissioners, Chief of Fire Department, Chief of Police, and Town Clerk, for the year ending February 28, 1887.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will authorize their Treasurer, under the direction of the Selectmen, to hire money in anticipation of taxes to be assessed and collected.

ARTICLE 9. To determine what amount of money the town will raise and appropriate for the support of the poor; for highways, bridges and sidewalks; for new roads; for the support of schools and for school purposes; Fire Department; Library; Town officers; interest on Town and Water Debt; Sinking Funds; Street Lights; Police; Health, and all other necessary appropriations.

ARTICLE 10. To see what disposition the Town will make with the money to be received from the County for dog licenses.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept the list of persons qualified to serve as Jurors, as revised and submitted by the Selectmen, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will provide for the payment of notes, amounting to $56,400, becoming due, $25,000 May 1, $1,400 July 1, and $30,000 July 2, 1887, fund same under provisions of Chapter 133, Acts of 1882, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will provide for the payment of $22,500, known as the Norman claim, due May 1, 1887, authorize the renewal of the loan for the legal limit, 1907, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 14. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the observance of "Memorial Day," and how the same shall be expended, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to pay State Aid to volunteers, or their dependents, under the direction of the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 16. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a street running southerly from Pond street, and easterly to Main street, as a public town way.

ARTICLE 17. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a street from New Boston street to Main street as a public town way.

ARTICLE 18. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a street running southerly from Hudson street as a public town way.

ARTICLE 19. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a street from Pleasant street to Morse street as a public town way.

ARTICLE 20. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on widening of Pine street.

ARTICLE 21. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out an extension of Mt. Pleasant street, running southerly from South street as a public town way.

ARTICLE 22. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a street from Wyman street to Kilby street as a public town way.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will take any action looking to the lighting of the centre or business portion of the centre of the town by electric lights, authorize an agreement for lighting same for a term of years, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to pay a sum of money to G. R. Gage amounting to $74.00 paid by him or allowed by parties in procuring money for the town, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to refund to Owen Kerrigan the sum of $432.72 paid by him in defending himself in a suit, Kenney vs. Kerrigan, growing out of enforcement of a Town By-Law, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will choose a committee to carefully investigate the present source of water supply and tributaries looking to its development, also to suggest any means of storage of water and recommend any action they may think for the town's advantage anticipating an increased demand for water.

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to lay water main on School street to New Boston street, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to extend the water main from Bedford street on Winn street to Burlington line or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to instruct its Highway Committee to pay $2.00 per day to all men except mechanics, who labor on the highways in the said Town of Woburn, and that said committee be also instructed not to let out by contract any work or labor appertaining to their office.

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $200 to purchase implements necessary for concreting to be used by the Highway Department.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $500 to raise the grade of Bryant street to grade of Conn street, or do any thing in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 32. To hear and act on the reports of any committee heretofore appointed by the Town.

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money to place street lights from present lights on Salem street to Walnut Hill, also one light corner Washington and Salem streets, one light corner Washington and Middle streets, one light corner of Washington and Cedar streets, and one light corner of Salem and Cedar streets, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will establish a By Law, providing for removal of snow and ice on sidewalks as provided for by Chapter 53, Sections 8 and 9, of Public Statutes, also to make any additional By-Laws which may be expedient, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to change the name of Pond street to that of Lake Avenue.

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will direct that a sidewalk be built between the estate of H. G. Randall and the Cemetery on Beach street, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars from miscellaneous department for the purpose of placing the guns or cannon, received from the United States Government, on the Common in the large circle surrounding the Soldier's Monument, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will take any action relative to the letting out of work by contract.

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to lease Lyceum Hall for Town Meetings, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Fish Commissioners to grant leave to the inhabitants of Woburn to catch fish in Horn Pond and to remove all existing restrictions as regards the inhabitants of the Town of Woburn and their taking of fish from said Horn Pond, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will cause the interior of the Armory building to be painted, make needed alterations and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will accept and adopt the provisions of Section 17, Chapter 82, of the Public Statutes, and also of the provisions of Chapter 186, of the acts of the year 1884, and authorize the Treasurer of the Town to act under the same or do anything in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 43. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a gravel lot on land of A. A. Clements and others; also to see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to purchase a lot of land on Rock street for a gravel bank.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by causing an attested copy of the same to be posted up at each of the Government Post Offices in Town, and published in the WOBURN JOURNAL and *Woburn Advertiser* seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Town affixed, this 23d day of March, A. D. 1887.

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WILLIAM BEGGS,
JOHN A. DOHERTY,
JOHN FERGUSON,
CHAS. A. McDONALD,
WILLIAM C. KENNEY,
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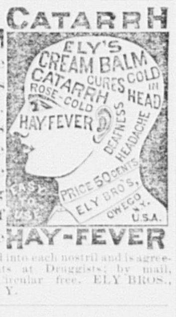

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FOR LOWELL at 7.26, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 2.25, 3.21, 5.10, 6.41, 9.25, 11.33 P. M. Sunday, 9.28 A. M., 5.28, P. M. RETURN, 6.35, 7.17, 7.35, 9.15, 11.00, A. M., 6.00, 6.30, P. M. Sunday, 9.00, A. M., 4.30 P. M.

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For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H., 7.26 A. M., 3.21 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton N. H., 7.26 A. M., 3.21, P. M.

For WARNER, BRADFORD, SUNAPEE, NEWPORT, N. H., and CLAREMONT at 11.24 A. M.

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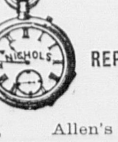

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WOULD A-WOOING GO.

BY T. CONNELL.

The sun had disappeared behind the hills of New Bethany, and the lingering light on the mountain tops was changing from rose to purple, when Deacon Pinch stopped his melancholy old mare in front of the village post office. It was Saturday night, the only time when New Bethany roused itself from its lethargy and showed any signs of life life and energy. The rest of the week it drowsed and languished after the fashion of small country towns remote from railway and manufacturing centres.

"Whoa, Mary Jane!" said the deacon with unnecessary emphasis, throwing the reins on the old mare's broad back, and springing to the ground.

But the despondent Mary Jane had already ceased her shambling gait from sheer force of habit. A ten year's service with the deacon had made her perfectly familiar with the accustomed round of stopping places. Wednesday night it was the prayer meeting; Sunday night the church service; and Saturday night invariably the post office and, as a safe variation, an after pause at the house of Mrs. Betsey Hill, the town milliner, who for a quarter of a century had supplied the women of New Bethany with head gear fearfully and wonderfully made.

The moment the deacon stepped into the office he knew from the unusual buzz of conversation, that something extraordinary had happened.

"Heard the news—eh, deacon?" asked one of the village loungers.

The deacon looked up inquiringly.

"Miss Kezia's had an amazin' streak of luck."

"It's been nothin' but an amazin' streak of luck ever since she was born," returned the deacon. "If ownin' the best farm in town and hevin' money at interest isn't luck, I'd like to know what it is."

"Yes, but this is something out of common. You used to know her brother, who died years ago, and left his only child for Miss Kezia to bring up? Wa'al, when the old man Mead died Miss Kezia took the farm for her share of the property, and her brother, bein' of a rovin' turn of mind, took the few thousands of personal property as his, and invested them in Western lands, which turned out wuthless, and he lost every cent he put in. Folks always blamed him for being so foolish and hasty, and they say grief and mortification like hastened his death. Wa'al, it turns out now they hev put a railroad square through the lands and it's sent real estate 'way up nobody knows where. Miss Kezia's been offered nigh onto eight thousand dollars for the lands, and they say she'll get ever so much more if she only holds out."

"You don't mean it?"

"I do; it's as true as Scriptur'."

"She'll hold out never fear," said the deacon; "and I hold it to be our bounden duty as neighbors to advise her to that end."

Instead of lingering as usual for the village gossip—for the New Bethany post office on Saturday night answered the purpose of a weekly paper—the deacon seemed in a hurry to get home.

It was the night of the choir rehearsal and in driving by the church he saw Mary Mead, Miss Kezia's niece, going up the steps. He suddenly whipped up his sleepy old mare, and drove home at a break-neck rate of speed.

"Now's yer time, Solomon Pinch," he muttered to himself; "its mebbe a long while before ye'll hev such a good chance ag'in. She'll be sure to be alone for a couple of hours or so—hi, old lady! no stopping here to-night," he added, giving the lines a sudden twist as Mary Jane showed an inclination to stop before Mrs. Betsey Hill's house, "we've other fish to fry now, old girl."

When he reached home he drove the mare under the horse shed and tied her there, instead of unharnessing her as usual. Then he entered the house, and hastily swallowing the scanty supper which the hired woman placed before him, donned his best cloths and drove off again at a rapid rate.

"Law sakes alive!" exclaimed the woman, amazed. "The deacon's got suthin' on his mind, sure! It's the first time I ever knew him to disremember to ask a blessin'."

Ever since the death of his wife Deacan Pinch had looked on Miss Kezia as her probable successor. For years he had gazed with covetous eyes on the fine Mead farm with its substantial buildings, but he never could screw up his courage to the point of facing the black eyes of its owners. Of late he had been seen several times knocking at the door of Mrs. Betsey Hill's little brown house, and the worthy milliner was overjoyed at the opening of this brilliant prospect before her. But the news of the sudden rise in Western lands caused Mrs. Hill with her small possessions to sink into significance by the side of this rich woman with her well tilled acres, her overflowing barns and her prospective thousands of dollars.

The idea of failure never entered his head.

"The way afore ye is as plain and smooth as a pipe stem, Solomon Pinch," he murmured, rubbing his hands together, as he walked towards Miss Kezia's door. "Women is mostly alike—eager and willing to embrace matrimonial opportunities. They'll snap at an offer like a hungry trout at a worm. She has got the money, and I have got the influence; that's a pint not to be overlooked; and deacons ain't to be had every day. Put her money and my influence together, and I raythur guess we'll stand about top o' the heap in New Bethany."

Miss Kezia was sitting by the table, knitting, as usual. She had just begun to narrow for the toe of the stocking, when a step sounded on the walk. She threw down the stocking and opened the door, holding the lamp high above her head, her eyes rested on the amazing spectacle of the deacon in all the Sunday magnificence of white shirt and shiny black broadcloth.

"Well, I never!" she ejaculated, and then, feeling that her reception hrd been hardly hospitable, she lowered her lamp and said kindly, "Come in, deacon, come in."

"Thank ye, thank ye; I don't mind if I dew."

The deacon surveyed the attractive room which, with its cheery fire and comfortable cushioned chairs, seemed a veritable paradise in comparison with his untidy, ill-kept house. He placed his hat on the floor beside his chair, displaying his scant gray locks ingeniously plastered over the top of his head so to cover as much of the bald surface as possible. Then there was a long pause.

"Anything going on, deacon?" asked Miss Kezia, resuming her knitting. She was greatly puzzled to account for those Sunday clothes.

"Nothin' within the range of observation. There won't be much agoin' on now till 'lection time; things will be pretty lively then."

"Want to buy any hay this year?" chirped Miss Kezia. "Mine is extra good this season; my hired man says it is the heaviest yield in town."

"I raythur guess I'll hev enough to carry me through the winter. If I don't I shall know where to come for hay as is hay. I declare your farm does beat all! I feel kind o' rigged like when I think the best farm in town is managed by a woman."

Miss Kezia smiled graciously, and the deacon drew his chair a little nearer his hostess.

"It must be a great load for ye to carry alone. Such a large farm is a tre-men-jous responsibility for a lone woman."

"Oh, I don't mind it; it keeps me proper busy."

The deacon hitched the chair along a few inches further.

"Ye'd oughter hev a brother or cousin or some relative, to share the burden with ye."

"My shoulders are pretty strong," replied Miss Kezia, good naturedly. "I'm glad to show folks that there are women who are good for something besides giddy-gaddying and tattling."

"Yis, yis," answered the deacon, "we can all testify to your vally and worth. You're—a real honor to your sex. You're—you're a bright and shinin' beacon light to the triflin' and vain minded women of the world;" and the speaker waved his hand at the conclusion of this little oratorical flourish.

Then, hitch, hitch went the chair Miss Keziaward.

"Don't you feel sort of lonely at spells?" he asked, hesitatingly.

Miss Kezia glanced suspiciously at the rapidly advancing chair. She dropped her knitting and went to the fire and piled up the blazing sticks of wood. Then she came back to the table and set her chair at the father side of it, thus putting a barrier between her and her visitor.

"I am never lonely, deacon; plenty to do is the best medicine for loneliness."

"But a woman's a tender, dependent creatur'; woman's a vine" (here the deacon assumed his weekly prayer meeting drawl,) and needs suthin' to cling to when the troublous, desolatin' waves of affliction and sorror roll over."

"Stuff and nonsense!" exclaimed Miss Kezia, with a contemptuous sniff. "I shouldn't have expected that a man of your sense, deacon, would repeat such silly trash. I have no patience with people who are always talking as if a woman couldn't stand alone, and needed propping up, like a rag doll that hadn't any backbone. I'm no such creeping, helpless thing, I can tell you. I can stand alone as well as anybody, if the Lord so wills it, although I do admit, deacon, that it's pleasanter to hev company in our sojourn on this mortal earth."

The deacon seized his chair with both hands, by a circuitous line of hitching placed it within three feet of Miss Kezia's table.

"You're a forehanded woman, Miss Kezia; I'm a man of prominence and influence in the community; it seems to me that it would be a good thing if we could walk hand in hand thro' this vail of tears. Providence seems to p'int its finger that way."

The deacon was thinking at that very moment of the money he would save by putting a thrifty manager like Miss Kezia in the place of his inefficient, wasteful hired woman.

Miss Kezia was dumbfounded. She dropped her knitting, and the ball of yarn rolled across the floor. "Mercy!" she finally gasped.

"I'll make ye a first rate husband, and ye'll make me a good wife. We've been members of the same church for thirty years or more, and we've been members of the spiritooal family, we'll now be members of the same human family."

Miss Kezia straightened herself up in her high back chair and drew up her chin, while her voice rang out shrill and clear;

"I rather guess it'll take two to make that bargain."

A second look at her aged admirer, who was edging up to her with a sheepish simper, exasperated the good woman beyond control. "The old fool," she said wrathfully.

The color came into the deacon's thin cheeks, and he started to his feet, looking anxiously toward the door, as if meditating a hasty retreat. But the yarn was wound around his boots and he was forced to remain.

Miss Kezia likewise rose, and folding her hands primly in front of her, remarked grimly:

"When you first began your talking I hadn't the least idea of what you were driving at. I thought you were hinting about Betsy Hill, and wanted to take me into your confidence. I never dreamed that you meant me. Why, I supposed every one in town knew that I wouldn't give up my freedom for the best man living. Betsy Hill is a pious, likely woman; she'll make a good home for you, and she needs a home herself."

The deacon looked completely withered, and Miss Kezia continued:

"If you'll step around a little lively, and pick up the stones on your lots and put them into good fences, and mow down some of those pesky weeds, there's no earthly reason why your farm shouldn't look as well as mine. If I've said anything to hurt your feelings, deacon, I hope you'll overlook it. Why, you are all twisted up in this yarn? I'll untangle it."

The delay in unwinding the yarn from the deacon's feet gave Miss Kezia a chance for further remark:

"One word more, deacon: have you heard of those Western lands?"

The deacon wished he was anywhere out of the range of those merciless black eyes.

"I think I've heard tell suthin' about 'em," he replied, meekly.

"I thought so! I thought so!" exclaimed Miss Kezia, savagely. "Well, deacon, those lands rightfully belong to my niece Mary; I only hold them as her guardian."

The deacon began to look upon his rejection as a "blessing in disguise," for without the Western land Miss Kezia's attraction seemed tame compared with those of mild, blue eyed, buxom Widow Hill.

"I can trust to ye never to mention this?" he asked timidly.

"I shall never speak of it. Now, follow my advice deacon; make sure of Betsy Hill before another week goes by. You have my good wishes. See to this at once."

"Thank ye, thank ye; I don't mind if I dew."

The good woman followed her crestfallen visitor to the door. As a sudden gust of night air put out the light, she said:

"The air is snapping tonight, have a frost, eh, deacon?"

And the discomfited deacon felt that he had been nipped by something sharper than frost.

The first public library in America was founded in New York in 1700.

Literary Notices.

We have received "The First Annual Report of the Commissioner of Labor" of the Department of the Interior by Hon. Carroll D. Wright, Commissioner, who is also Chief of the Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics of Labor.

The April No. of NEW MOON is received. There are several choice stories, some excellent poetry, small wares, etc. in it which will be read with pleasure no doubt by a great many people. There are also sharp editorials and columns of wit and humor—all choice.

OUR LITTLE ONES, published by the Russell Publishing Company, Boston, for the current month came promptly to hand several days ago and received a warm welcome from the "Editor's Table." No magazine for young people is more beautiful or better than OUR LITTLE ONES.

THE MUSICAL RECORD contains a larger instalment than usual of new music which its patrons will not object to. The pieces are by popular composers as a general thing and were written expressly for this magazine. The literary contents are fresh and good. Published by Oliver Ditson & Co., Boston.

The April number of GOLDEN DAYS contains many interesting stories, lively and entertaining sketches, poetry and pictures, which put together make it equal to the best. It is a large, handsome magazine filled with the highest quality of literary matter and finely illustrated. GOLDEN DAYS is published by James Elverson at Philadelphia.

The April WIDE AWAKE opens with a very beautiful Easter Morning frontispiece of lillies and chanting children by W. L. Taylor, who also illustrates the quaint article by Mrs. H. G. Rowe, entitled A Yankee Schoolmistress. A Canadian poet, Miss Agnes Machar, has an Easter poem, Easter Lillies, and Mrs. Susan Archer Weiss, one of the most thorough folk-lore delvers, an article upon old Easter observances, and Dora Read Goodale a funny little plaint entitled Easter Wares, in which she bewails the decay of race of hens who used to lay gay and beautiful eggs at Easter-time. Mr. Mason, the curator of the National Museum, contributes an interesting article upon Indian Dolls and their Cradles, with twenty-three illustrations by Chandler. C. F. Holder has an entertaining paper upon Homes Underground. Mrs. Bolton in her Successful Women series writes about Marion Harland, of whom there is a portrait, and Miss Hewins of the Hartford Library Association talks most temptingly with the young folks about making A Collection of Pictures; and the boys are told by another boy of fourteen How To Make A Squirrel-Cage. Susan Coolidge has a charming Nantucket story, The Shipwrecked Cologne Bottle, Mrs. M. E. M. Davis a La Rose Blanche story, called A Morning Glory, and Miss Guiney writes in her fairy papers of Dear Brownie. The serials are entrancing; Romulus and Remus, Montezuma's Gold Mines, A Young Prince of Commerce and Howling Wolf and His Trick Pony. The latter is attracting much attention for those interested in the Indian Question. There are some delightful talks with the readers by Mrs. James T. Fields, Miss Guiney, Miss Harris and others, and charming poems by Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney, M. E. B., Emma Huntington Nason, Edith Thomas, Mary E. Wilkins, Mrs. Clara Doty Bates and Anna F. Burnham. WIDE AWKE is $2.40 a year. D. Lothrop Company, Publishers, Boston.

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There is a spring on a plantation near Lincolnton, Ga., whose waters are of such extraordinary virtue that those who have used it have been noted for longevity. Close by the spring is a house built for tenants, and every one who has occupied it has lived far beyond the three score and ten allotted mankind. The youngest person known to die at this house was 90 years old, another reached 95, another 110, and its present occupant is an old negress who has seen the sunshine and shadows of 115 years.

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President Cleveland has a peculiar legal problem to deal with. A Mississippian had drawn a prize with his lottery ticket, but as the back of the ticket read "no ticket will be paid unless it bears the President's signature," forwarded the bit of paper to Mr. Cleveland to indorse, supposing the reference was to him and not to the President of the lottery company. The first impulse of the receiver was to send it back with a note of explanation, but the Revised Statutes provide, under penalty, that "no letter concerning lotteries shall be carried in the mail." There is no way then, to communicate with the Mississippian except telegraphing for him to come to Washing or else making use of a special messenger.

The Excitement Not Over.

The rush at C. H. Buss's drug store still continues on account of persons afflicted with Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption, to procure a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is sold on a guarantee and is giving entire satisfaction. It is a standard family remedy. Price 50 cents and $1. Trial size free.

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Beer is not real food. You may put all the nourishing portion in a gallon of the best beer ever brewed on the end of an ordinary table-knife. So little nourishment is there in it that you would have to be drunk over and over again before you could swallow enough beer to supply nourishing food sufficient for a square meal.

Catarrh, when chronic, becomes very offensive. It is impossible to be otherwise healthy, and, at the same time, afflicted with catarrh. This disagreeable disease, in its most obstinate and dangerous forms can be cured by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Our Dumb Friends.

DELIVERANCE FROM BONDAGE.

S. W. Small, in a recent sermon, said: On one occasion there came into the market place of a far Eastern city an aged and travel-stained man who was a stranger to all. He wandered through the vast bazaar without seeming to regard or take notice of the vast store of merchandise and wealth, and the accumulated wondrous handicraft of the people. Aimlessly he threaded his way about in that multitude until he attracted the attention of the people. Suddenly he stopped before one of the booths where hung gilded cages in which had been imprisoned birds of the sweetest song. They were flapping their little wings impatiently and he listened intently that he might haply catch some note of their song; but thus imprisoned they refused to give forth any of the melody of their notes, but struggled ineffectually against the bars of their cage.

Suddenly the old man put his hands in the folds of his garment and drew therefrom coin of a strange realm. He asked the price of the cage. He bought it, and opening the door he turned the feathered songster loose, and it fluttered its wings, so long untried, and for a little while it balanced its slight body in mid-air, until nature restored its powers of equilibrium, and then it mounted up and up and up, and with a glad song of joy circled above the heads of the multitude until it caught sight of the cloud-capped mountain, where its home had been, and then, with its precious melody flowing from its soul, it winged its way into the far and ethereal distance and was lost to sight. Thus one by one he bought these little birds and thus one by one he loosed them and they repeated the glad notes of surprise and took the same course back to their native mountain fastnesses and he seemed to take a greater pleasure and a sweeter joy as each little prisoner regained its liberty, and the tears streamed down his travel-stained and dust-covered face. Those who stood by said to him, "Why dost thou do these strange things?" He said to them in reply, with a look of indescribable charity on his face, "I was once a prisoner myself, and I know the sweets of liberty."

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what a saving I have made during the last year by being my own doctor. Last year I paid out $96 25 for doctors and their medicine; this year I paid $5.00 for six bottles of Sulphur Bitters, and they have kept health in my whole family. They are the best and purest medicine ever made.—Charles King, 60 Temple Street, Boston, Mass.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

A GOOD DAY'S WORK.

It is safe to say that the Board of Selectmen elected last Monday is the best, taken all in all, that this town has had to transact its public business for more than half a dozen years. The voters did a good stroke of work that day and have reason to congratulate themselves on what they accomplished in the way of better town government for one year to say the least. The gratifying results of the somewhat fierce contest for the mastery were due to the exercise of good judgment, forbearance, honest regard for the best interests of the town, and a joining of hands on the part of respectable voters for the accomplishment of a worthy purpose. On the side of those who wanted and were willing to work for a change in our town affairs all party considerations were thrust one side and Republicans, Democrats, Prohibitionists and Nothingarians worked shoulder to shoulder to accomplish the same end. The exact line pointed out by the JOURNAL several weeks since and afterward insisted on was followed out and the best Board of Selectmen that Woburn has had for years, so everyone says, was elected.

The victory of Monday shows plainly enough what the better element of the the town can bring about by means of the ballot-box when they please to stand together and work for the accomplishment of the same thing. There is no need of the town being longer ruled by the element that has held sway for the last seven or eight years unless it likes that way best. The men who want a clean, honest, intelligent local government can have it by simply saying the word, and a very different administration of our affairs may prevail as easily. Representatives of all political parties worked together last Monday, as they had previously in preparing for the fight, and in this way they won a very gratifying and valuable success. That is the way to do it every time—drop party politics and go in for good town government.

The ticket elected was an excellent one from top to bottom. Nearly all its members have had experience in town affairs and proved their quality. Grammer, Skinner, Ferguson, Kenney, Golden, Cottle and Salmon, have each served one or more terms and occupied influential positions on the Board, and it is safe to say they will give the town a good administration the current year.

NO LICENSE.

Last Monday Woburn fell into line with the better part of the Massachusetts towns and cities that have voted this spring on the question and declared herself most emphatically for prohibition. In a poll of 1963 ballots the majority against license was 169 which exceeded the expectations of the most sanguine and filled the hearts of the friends of sobriety and good order with joy and gladness. To a great many the brilliant victory was unexpected although not unhoped for, but to the liquor dealers it was a blow square between the eyes that stunned them. They were saying all along that the town would vote by a large majority to grant licenses this year to sell rum and beer and fully believed what they were talking about, but the vote on Monday upset their calculations in the most amazing manner and threw them entirely out of their reckoning.

To the good women of the town and especially to the persistent endeavors of the W. C. T. U. who have been working and praying all the year for this glorious result was due much of the credit for bringing it about. The outcome also proves the value of personal work as against the brass band style of campaigning and shows what it is possible to accomplish with people by getting right down close to where they live and showing them that you are their best friends. The ladies have done nobly. So too have the men, and both can show for their earnest work a triumph over the rum element that any decently inclined community might well feel proud of.

☞ The Republicans of Chicago, aided by law and order Democrats, won a decisive victory at the polls last Tuesday. Up to the opening of the ballot-boxes the anachists loudly proclaimed their ability to overwhelmingly carry the charter election under the red flag, but when the vote was counted at night it was found they had cast just half the number of ballots which they boasted of being perfectly sure of and furthermore that the Republicans had whipped them by over 20,000 majority. That puts a quietus on anarchy and the red flag business in Chicago.

In Germany, till the reign of Charlemagne at the close of the eigth century, there were no towns except a few that had been erected on the Rhine and Danube by the Romans. Lubec was the first on the Baltic, being founded A. D. 1140.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Advertiser—Lost.
T. I. Reed—Hams.
W. E. Carter—Polo.
T. C. Evans—Pianos.
W. A. Davis—Wanted.
T. C. Evans—Pearline.
E. F. Johnson—Citation.
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J. W. Johnson—Citation.
E. F. Johnson—Ex. Sale.
Baptist Church—Sociable.
A. W. Parker—Entertainment.
Geo. P. Rowell & Co—Mis. Ads.
Dr. T. R. Blackstone—Dentistry.
Miss E. H. Buell—Kindergarten.
Mrs. C. A. Pierce—Special Bargains.

— See advertisement of keys lost.

— Adjourned Town Meeting at 7.30 o'clock Tuesday evening.

— Read the card of Mrs. C. A. Pierce in another column.

— Those who use T. I. Reed's Burlington Hams will use no others.

— We have had some real winter weather this week. This spring knocks them all.

— Attention is called to the card of W. A. Davis, 31 Park street, Boston, in this paper.

— Josiah Leathe has a fine stock of spring and summer shoes, which he sells at low prices.

— The Woburn Workers, a society of busy little people, will resume work on Saturday afternoon, April 16.

— Try one of T. I. Reed's Burlington Hams. They make a fine relish.

— Bryant & King have placed the sale of their houselots near their factory in the hands of W. N. Titus, Esq.

— Postmaster Reade has put large electric lights into the postoffice outside and in which illuminates it in firstrate style.

— Every name but two on the "Citizens" ticket was elected last Monday, and some people felt very grand over it.

— If your eyes blur consult Dodge the optician at Dodge's jewelry store, 142 Main street. His glasses are a sure relief.

— The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet in the Unitarian Church parlor, on Monday, April 11, at 3 P. M.

— O. J. Stough, Esq., of Chicago will please accept our thanks for packages of Western papers, and for remembrances.

— Leeds has been improving his pleasant drugstore corner of Main street and Montvale Avenue preparatory to spring business.

— Mr. R. S. Spaulding has put on a nice public carriage for depot and about town service. It is a good turn-out and prices are low.

— Mr. Buffington, special agent for the Government Bureau of Labor, has been getting facts concerning the labor question here this week.

— There was an alarm of fire from box 62 last Tuesday evening which was caused by a threatened blaze in Hovey street. It amounted to but little.

— Capt. O. J. Hart has moved into the fine residence on Main street recently built by Mrs. Winn. It is a neat, commodious and pleasant residence.

— Buckman & White are selling choice family groceries, fresh and clean, cheap. Try their "Star" creamery butter if you get something very nice indeed.

— There is a good deal of guessing and surmising and shouldn't-wondering about the appointees of the new Board of Selectmen. It will all come out in due season.

— A postponed meeting of the Y. W. C. T. U. will be held in the parlors of the Congregational church at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, April 9th —tomorrow.

— Miss Ruth M. Leathe, executrix, has given notice to the Trustees of the Woburn Home for Aged Women of a legacy of $2,000 left to it by Mrs. Mary I. Keyes, lately deceased.

— The School Board met at their rooms on Tuesday evening and organized as follows: Chairman, Dr. George P. Bartlett; Auditor, S. Frank Trull; Superintendent, Frank B. Richardson.

— Mrs. Mary A. Livermore will deliver a lecture entitled, "The Perils of the Republic," before the Woman's Club in the Unitarian Church, on April 15, at 3 P. M. Don't fail to hear her.

— When Mrs. Davis, who lives on Pond street, was crossing the railroad track at Main street, about 7.30 o'clock last Tuesday evening, she fell and broke one of her legs. She was taken home and a doctor sent for.

— The Shareholders of the Woburn Co-operative Bank should remember that the monthly payments are due on or before the second Thursday in each month. The pass-books are now ready and will be exchanged for vouchers given.

— The Stoneham Street Railroad Co. have petitioned the Selectmen of Woburn for the privilege of keeping 50 to 100 horses in a frame building to be erected on the southerly side of Salem street 1000 feet from Main street.

— M. Ellis & Co. have began operations on the Cummings house corner of Pleasant and Abbott streets looking to its removal to Winn street. The lot will soon be vacant, when work on the new bank building will begin in good earnest.

— In common with every friend to good local government the JOURNAL is highly pleased with the outcome of last Monday's town election. A ticket admirable in every particular was elected, from whose labors this year the very best results may be confidently expected.

— Dr. T. R. Blackstone of Boston has opened dental rooms at 172 Main street, over Mr. Buss's drugstore, where he will be glad to meet the citizens of this town and to secure a portion of their patronage. He comes to Woburn with good recommendations and we have no doubt he understands all about the profession. The Dr. has secured pleasant rooms to which our people will receive a cordial welcome whenever they please to call.

— Rev. Mr. Wright, pastor of the Methodist church, preached at the union meeting at the Unitarian church yesterday. There were religious services by Dr. March at the Congregational church in the afternoon. In a secular line but little was going on. It was a bright day, but not sultry.

— We call especial attention to the announcement in another column of a dramatic entertainment to be given at the Unitarian Church on Wednesday evening April 13. The piece to be presented is "Rebecca's Triumph" which is a good one, and the entertainment will please the audience we make no doubt.

— The Stoneham Street Railroad Co. have given the contract for building the line from Woburn to Stoneham to the same Boston firm that built the No. Woburn to Winchester line last year. The contract for building the car-house, stable and blacksmith-shop has also been let out. Work will begin very soon on these contracts.

— Mr. E. B. Blanchard, President of the Mishawum Club, entertained about forty of its members very handsomely at his pleasant residence on Summer street one evening last week. Nothing was left undone by the host and his lady to render the evening an agreeable one to the guests and they succeeded admirably in making them all happy.

— At the annual meeting of the Unitarian Parish held last Tuesday evening the following officers were elected for the year to come, viz: Clerk, John Warren Johnson; Treasurer, Winthrop Hammond; Auditor, Robert J. W. Phinney; Parish Committee, Griffin Place, John Warren Johnson, Winthrop Hammond, Mrs. C. A. Simonds, Mrs. S. B. Goddard.

— Day after to-morrow is Easter Sunday, the end of Lent and beginning of a period of rejoicing and flowers. It is expected the churches in town will be beautifully decorated, that the music will be exceptionally sweet, and the other services particularly appropriate to the occasion. The Sunday Schools will also be seen and heard from—some of them at least.

— We call attention to the notice of a Bouquet Sociable to be held in the Baptist church on Thursday evening, April 14 instant. It will be a novel kind of entertainment in which there is any amount of real fun. The best of it will be in the bouquet-holders finding their mates for the supper in the room. It is a good thing and don't cost much to attend it.

— The Scandinavian Evangelical Society of this town will hold a Convention in the Y. M. C. A. Hall April 8, 9, and 10. Ministers of the Gospel from near and abroad are expected to be present. The meetings are to be held as follows: Friday, 7 P. M.; Saturday, 11.30 A. M., 2.30 and 7 P. M.; Sunday, 10.30 A. M., 1.30, and 6 P. M. All are invited to come.

— The Board of Trade's special committee on the Haverhill & Lawrence RR. scheme, Messrs. James Skinner, F. H. Lewis and F. B. Dodge, held a consultation last Monday evening at the Rooms and initiated measures for a full investigation of the matter. Mr. Dodge owns stock in the contemplated road and not only so, but relatives and friends of his are prominent in the enterprise, so that the opportunities for reliable information are exceptionally good.

— The Congregational church Sunday school will give an Easter concert in the church proper at 7 o'clock on next Sunday evening under the direction of Superintendent Pollard and Assistant Superintendent Lyford, for which preparations have been made. Mr. Buck will play some Easter pieces on the organ and besides music by a chorus choir the children will sing several hymns and sacred songs. They will also give recitations, etc., and thus make the concert an interesting one.

— Miss Buell advertises for more pupils for her Kindergarten on Montvale Avenue this week. She is a thoroughly good teacher and has met with excellent success with her school so far. Particular attention is directed to the fact that Miss Buell furnishes a carriage free to her pupils, which is a nice thing for those living at a distance and will enable them to attend the Kindergarten as they could not were it not for the carriage. Please bear this in mind.

— Mr. F. B. Richardson read a paper before the Friday Night Club and invited guests at the Unitarian church last Friday night on his recent visit to Great Britain, France, Belgium and other countries on the other side, which interested a large audience. The descriptions were excellent, and of course as anything intelligent said of Europe is always entertaining, Mr. Richardson's paper afforded an appreciative audience an hour's genuine pleasure.

— The following is an extract from an official communication from Acting Adj't General addressed to Capt. Geo. A. Simonds of Co. G., of date March 28: "Co. G. is in good condition but lacks proper facilities for advancement in the matter of Armory. The Armory is in bad condition and I do not think the State should pay over $200 per annum for it in its present condition. Books and papers are in good order and condition but not excellent. State property in good condition and property account all right."

— The fiercest snow storm that has visited this section of country in the month of April within the memory of the Oldest Inhabitant was experienced on last Saturday. At least one foot of wet heavy snow fell, blocking steam, horse and common roads, and producing the most wintry appearance. The wind blew a gale from the northeast all day and there was no let up to the storm until 10 o'clock in the evening. It was a great one. The warm sun of Sunday carried nearly all the snow off and there was a plenty of slush.

— By reason of insufficient advertising the lecture of Mr. Leach on the Jeannette Northpole expedition, of which he was a member, at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, last Tuesday evening, was not so well attended as its merits demanded. The lecture was very instructive and interesting and ought to have been heard by a much larger audience. It is seldom that a community are privileged to enjoy the recital of a narrative of such absorbing interest by one of the principal actors in it, and if our people had been previously aware of the real character of Mr. Leach's lecture no doubt the rooms would have been crowded.

— The Tanners tanned the hides of the pet Bostons last Monday evening at Winslow's Backbay rink in grand style. There has been a good deal of bragging by the Bostons and their friends, but the Tanners have got so now that they can take the buckram out of them at every pull. The Woburn lads are slowly but surely creeping to the top of the ladder and if the JOURNAL isn't way off in its calculations they'll capture the League colors by several lengths. They are doing good work, and Manager Carter is pleased. For the dish which Carter has provided at the Academy for his patrons this week read his card in this paper.

— The vote on the license question last Monday was a great surprise to almost everybody. It was very gratifying to all true friends of temperance. God bless the women folks! And the loyal men who stood up with them to be counted. Now, with good, honest backing by the Board an energetic Police force will be able to make Woburn a law-abiding community this year. Compel those who would sell rum obey the laws just as other people are obliged to do and ours will become a model town which desirable people will seek for permanent residence. To attract the right kind of population a clean, honest administration of local affairs is a power.

— The Woburn Equal Suffrage League met in the reading room of the Baptist church last Monday evening. There was a goodly attendance of members and the meeting was especially interesting. An account of the month's progress compiled by Miss H. R. Hudson, was read by Miss Johnson. Mrs. Martha Sewall Curtis spoke on "The Present Political Status of Women in the United States." The President, Mrs. Emma P. Kelley, then read a part of the Constitution of the United States and gave an interesting explanation of the difficult points. A committee was appointed to canvas the town for the purpose of obtaining women voters and securing signatures to the suffrage petitions.

— The Ladies Charitable Society of the Unitarian church ran a little short on beans at their monthly supper last week, the reason of which was that a Salem street gentleman dropped a pot of them on a Main street sidewalk. He knew a great deal better how to carry a pot of beans than his wife did so instead of putting it into a hand-basket and taking the delicious edibles to the meeting house in good shape he insisted on tying a string around it and carrying it in that way. This would save taking a basket back home. His wife feared a disaster, but he knew all about the business and was grieved to say that women were far from being reliable guides in such weighty matters. Everything went beautifully until our Salem street gentleman reached about in front of Buss's drugstore when and where all of a sudden he heard something drap. It was the beans. The string had proved treacherous to its trust and for about eight or ten yards along the front of the buildings the sidewalk was covered with apparently a very toothsome sample of Boston baked beans to the depth, our Salem street friend thought, of four or five feet. Of course the beans were there to stay, and that was why the supper of the Charitable Society was just a trifle short on that article. When the gentlemen was trying to explain the affair he happened to discover a look in his wife's eye that had an effect to cut the narrative short by a half or more. Next time he will use a basket to take along the bean pot in—if he takes one.

The Fair.

The first Fair of the managers of the Woburn Home for Aged Women was held Wednesday afternoon and evening and yesterday, in Lyceum Hall and the Bank Building, and closed a successful two days existence on last evening at a late hour. Its management was on the start put into the hands of committees composed of the first ladies and gentlemen in the town whose interest in the worthy charity would induce them to put in active work for it and secure the co-operation of others who believe an Old Ladies Home a good thing to have. These various committees went at it with a will directed by a practical knowledge of affairs, and continuing to toil dilligently for several weeks the outcome of it all was a capital good Fair and a nice bunch of money for the benefit of the very deserving institution.

The ladies of each religious society in town chose a committee to take charge of their contributions to the Fair and look after them, and thus it come to pass that denominational booths and such signs of "Unitarian Table," "Baptist Table," "Methodist Table" etc., which were presided over by the committees of each society, were quite common in the great hall, and by their means a pleasing and interesting variety of goods and wares was presented for sale. In all cases the disposal of them was entrusted to the supervision of ladies whose places at the tables were frequently changed, and whose ideas respecting the existence of a sympathetic connection between the purchaser's wallet and the seller's conscience were not so vague and confused as they sometimes are, and in the two days and evenings the amount of ready cash which they raked in and returned to the strong-box of the Home must have reached a pretty high figure.

Lyceum Hall, the Board of Trade Rooms, and two or three apartments on the second story of Bank Block were used for the purposes of the Fair. The exhibitions and sale-tables were in the former, which was handsomely decorated for the occasion. Above the stage was a large sign containing the motto of the Home—"Deeds Not Words;" and on the floor beneath were a great many potted plants, flowers, evergreens and bunting, which made things look cheerful and pleasant. Other parts of the hall had been attended to and felt the touch of the decorator's hand. With a plenty of plants, flowers, flags and sociable women, visitors found the hall very attractive.

Two of the large rooms in the Bank Block were converted into an Art Gallery, which was under the supervision of Mr. Fred W. Ruggles of the Woburn Art Store. More than 50 paintings were tastefully hung on the wall by Mr. Ruggles many of them by such artists as Benjamin Champney, Albert Thompson, J. Foxcroft Cole; beautiful French pastel portraits by Mr. J. W. Bedell; and from Boston and foreign painters equally noted. The gallery was brilliantly lighted by the great gas burners which have been lately introduced here by the Woburn Gas Co., and which Superintendent Gilcreast put in for the occasion. The pictures, all lent by kind hearted Woburn and Boston people, were very fine and attracted crowds of art lovers during the Fair, who were courteously attended to by Mr. Ruggles.

The booths for the sale of goods were built close to the walls on two sides of Lyceum Hall and in a variety of decoration looked well. An Art Table presided over by Mrs. Benjamin Champney drew crowds of people and a good many purchasers. It contained handsome oil paintings, etchings, hand-decorated china, bric-a-brac, etc. and was an attractive feature of the hall. The Peanut Stand in the corner ably conducted by a young lady, and the popcorn stand at which two bright little girls presided, were popular resorts all through the Fair and earned much money for it. A beautifully arranged and filled Confectionary Table was the rallying point of a great many visitors, and kitchen wares, household furnishings, fine needle work, and other booths were crowded with interested and purchasing visitors nearly all the time. The Dolls' Reception was a jolly nice thing and coined mints of money.

Ice cream, confectionery and other good things were kept for sale and the tables were well patronized. The supper tables were set and loaded and emptied in the spacious Rooms of the Board of Trade. A good many who didn't know or care much about art, beautiful pictures, bronze images, etc. knew beans when they got an eye on them, hence the tables were surrounded for a long time each evening by stalwart men and substantial women, nearly all of whom were experts in the old game of "Knife and Fork," some exceptionally "heavy on the trencher," and all fond of good victuals in proper season. After all almost everybody has a warm side for good food well cooked and enough of it, and for that reason the suppers of the Fair were an immense success in all respects.

Judge P. L. Converse was Generalissimo of the whole grand affair, and G. R. Gage, Esq., was at the head of the Commissary Department, so it goes without saying that the order and the food could not very well be excelled.

A great many people attended the Fair but the largest crowds were present on the two evenings. The visitors were not confined to Woburn but many from adjacent towns came to see the great stocks of beautiful and useful things exhibited and offered for sale for a praiseworthy charity of the place. The reporter was quite carried away with the generally neat and handsomely attired appearance of the ladies present from home and elsewhere and deems it proper and due to the sex to state the fact here. At times it was not an easy matter to get around among the great gathering of interested people, and especially was this a fact as respects the Art Gallery. That possessed great attractions, and well it might for it was a very handsome exhibition of pictures many of which were from the brushes of men high in the profession. And Mr. Ruggles made things agreeable for the patrons too.

The food for suppers was furnished by generous ladies of the town interested in the success of the Home which includes nearly all of them. No institution among us has called out a stronger or more widespread interest than this new one of the Woburn Home for Aged Women. All classes seem desirous of its prosperity, looking on it as a noble charity that anyone might honor himself by helping to support. Its complete success is abundantly assured by liberal gifts from prominent Woburn citizens and the energy and enterprise of its founders and supporters.

Hence, all the women of the town and many more are working and encouraging others to do so for the good of the Home, and it was that spirit which insured the generous contributions to the great Fair which closed so brilliantly and with such good results last evening.

The excellence of the arrangements for carrying out the work of the Fair was a theme for general comment. There appeared to be no confusion; there was a place for everything and everything in its place; the location of the tables and their order could not well have been improved upon; the great variety and excellent quality of goods offered for sale pleased and "drew trade;" all of the departments were admirably managed, and the Fair was a great success.

Woman's Club.

The last meeting of the Club was held in the parlor of the Congregational Church. The room was crowded to overflowing to listen to Mrs. Kate Gannett Wells. Chivalry had been announced as her subject, but instead she read a paper on "Marriage." She drew attention to the fact that few young people realize the full significance of this most important step in life and urged all mothers to train their children to a complete understanding of its full meaning. She advised wives to be self-sacrificing, but not at the expense of self-respect. Her ideas on every point taken up were helpful and each one in the large audience must have felt that she had gained much good in hearing the lecture. At its close she read a beautiful poem entitled "In Twos," written on the occasion of a Twenty-fifth Anniversary. After an animated discussion on the lecture, Mrs. Wells spoke for a short time in regard to the work of the Massachusetts Emergency and Hygeine Association, with the view of establishing a branch in this town. The next meeting will be held in the Unitarian Church, April 15, at which time the noted speaker, Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, will present her lecture, "The Perils of the Republic."

Boston and Lowell.

The following circular was issued by the Boston & Lowell Thursday:

BOSTON, March 31, 1887.

The following appointments are made, taking effect this day: H. N. Turner, General Traffic Manager; Geo. W. Storer, General Passenger Agent; D. C. Prescott, General Freight Agent.

C. S. MELLEN,
General Superintendent.

The office of General Traffic Manager is a new one, with Mr. Turner promoted to fill it from his former position as General Freight Agent. Mr. Storer has occupied the position of Assistant General Passenger Agent, and takes the place formerly occupied by Lucius Tuttle, now with the Canadian Pacific. Mr. Prescott, who succeeds Mr. Turner, is advanced from the position of Assistant General Freight Agent.

Neighborhood Vote on License.

ARLINGTON, MASS., April 5, 1887.

FRIEND HOBBS: An old school mate of mine who was active in securing the no license majority for Woburn, to-day asked me for the result of the voting on the license question in neighboring towns. At the moment I was not able to answer him but can do so now; and if you will publish the list you will not only be able to answer him for me but doubtless gratify a considerable number of your readers. The figures are as follows:

	No.	Yes.
Arlington,	423	287
Burlington,	30	4
Lexington,	178	109
Medford,	209	225
Melrose,	420	2
Reading,	254	29
Stoneham,	451	343
Wakefield,	540	235
Winchester,	281	47
Woburn,	1066	897

I offer my congratulations to the ladies of Woburn whose self-sacrificing labors I know have been an important factor in securing no license for your town. Medford stands disgracefully alone in the list. Medford and Medford rum! One suggests the other.—C. S. P.

[Charlie, the Woburn ladies—God bless 'em!—are wide awake to every good word and work, and you know it.—ED.]

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Organization of Water Board.

The Woburn Water Board met in their rooms in Municipal Building on last Tuesday evening and organized as follows:

For Chairman, Charles Porter; Clerk, Registrar and Inspector of Metres, A. P. Barrett, at a salary of $780; Superintendent, Patrick Crilly, at a salary of $900; Engineer, O. M. Wade, at a salary of $1,050; Fireman, E. C. Clafly, at a salary of $600; Watchman and Assistant Fireman, J. A. Mosher, at a salary of $600.

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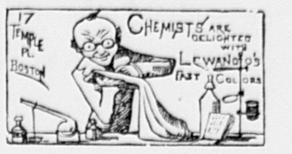

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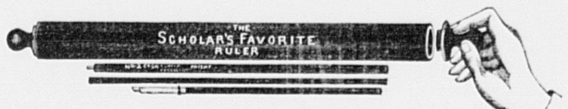

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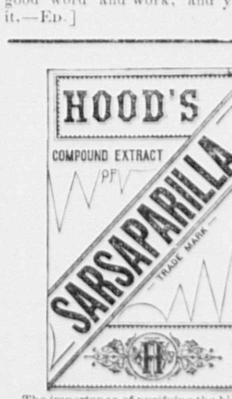

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The Election.

Under Art. 1 of the Warrant Col. W. T. Grammer was chosen Moderater. Under Art. 2 the salary of Collector of taxes was fixed at $900 per annum, and the Water Commissioners at $100 each. Voted to authorize under Art. 3. Under Art. 4 a committee of 15, consisting of T. H. Hill, J. M. Harlow, J. W. Johnson, P. McKittrick, L. Thompson, A. G. Ham, P. E. Tenney, L. W. Fowle, James Buell, C. Littlefield, R. Terrett, Benj. Hinckley, T. Morris, S. D. Samson, G. F. Jones, to consider the recommendations for appropriations and matters contained in Art. 9, 12, 13, 23, 24, 25, 27, 28. Voted that when the meeting shall adjourn it shall be to 7.30 o'clock p. m. April 12.

Below is given the result of the balloting last Monday for Woburn Town Officers. The vote was unusually heavy. A deep interest had been working the people up to a fighting pitch for some time, to which fact was largely attributable the uncommon size of the poll. It was a union affair on one side, that is to say, a union of members of all political parties against a clique which has ruled the town for several years and never to its advantage. The taxpayers had put up with a condition of things for which they felt there was no hope of relief until patience had ceased to be a virtue and it was determined by them to make a strike for liberty this year. Agreeing with the idea of the JOURNAL politics was eschewed and a combination organized which seemed to favor success. Republican, Democrat, Prohibitionist were tabood words in the councils of the friends of a reform movement and in naming candidates politics cut no figure. The advocates of honest and capable home government were in earnest and therefore not captious when it came to naming choice of candidates. By making concessions on all sides it was not so hard a task as one might at first blush think it to be to agree on a ticket that tax-payers and decent men could support, and two such tickets, with simply a change of one of two names, were put into the field on Monday morning.

The friends of municipal reform all worked in one direction and these in turn had the moral support of the women, and so substantially but one ticket was in the field opposed to the regular Democracy and the ring that has for some years been running the town into the ground. Not all the Democrats by a long way favored the Municipal Building cabal, but a great many of them voted for reform. Leaving William C. Kenney's name off the Democratic ticket weakened it by more than 75 votes, which was the plan two or three shrewd figurers laid to kill off Hill, McDonald, Moreland and some others. It worked like a charm and aided the reform tickets just so much.

But no matter about details: Reform won the day all along the line, and our town will have a better government this year than it has had for a long time back. Read the following names and figures and see if you don't think we are right:

TOWN CLERK.	
*Montressor S. Seeley,	1,996
William P. Symonds,	67
Scattering,	5
TOWN TREASURER.	
*Edward F. Johnson,	1,071
James N. Dow,	948
Theo. G. Boutelle,	56
Scattering,	2
SELECTMEN.	
*James Skinner,	1,689
*William C. Kenney,	1,533
*William T. Grammer,	1,163
*John Ferguson,	1,143
*Thomas Salmon,	1,124
*Michael Golden,	1,092
*Hugh D. Murray,	1,062
*Edmund C. Cottle,	1,026
*B. Frank Kimball,	1,025
William Ellard,	1,015
David F. Moreland,	980
Jacob A. Ham,	960
John A. Doherty,	916
John K. Murdock,	869
Thomas H. Hill,	788
Chas. A. McDonald,	774
Wm. R. Putnam,	78
L. H. Allen,	68
Phineas G. Hanson,	65
B. T. H Porter,	62
John H Hovey,	60
Patrick Donahue,	51
John P. Crane,	43
Leonard Thompson,	20
Scattering,	27
SINKING FUND COMMISSIONER, 3 YEARS.	
*Edward W. Hudson,	2,066
Scattering,	3
WATER COMMISSIONER, 3 YEARS.	
*James T. Freeman,	1,030
John C. Meehan,	733
Amos Pettengill,	219
Chas. B. Leathe,	48
Rufus Pickering,	19
Thomas E. Kelley,	15
Scattering,	9
CEMETERY COMMISSIONER, 5 YEARS.	
*John Ferguson,	1,089
John O. Ray,	893
George S. Butters,	59
Joseph E. Stewart,	15
Scattering.	9
TRUSTEE OF PUBLIC LIBRARY, 3 YEARS.	
*Oliver F. Bryant,	1,091
Matthew F. McDonnell.	897
Chas. B. Bryant,	80
Scattering,	5
AUDITORS.	
*John H. Ropes,	1,256
*Frederic A Flint,	1,196
*Frederick J. Brown,	1,099
Walter W. Noyes,	931
Edward F. Cassidy,	896
John A. Walsh,	619
George H. Conn,	135
Edward C. Leathe,	38
Chas. R. Rosenquist,	36
James T. Crosby,	35
Scattering,	9
SEXTON.	
*Charles E. Tripp,	1,217
Edward E. Lynch,	861
COLLECTOR OF TAXES.	
*John G. Maguire,	2,050
Scattering,	9
CONSTABLES.	
*Edward Simonds,	1,864
*Thomas Mulkeen,	1,329
*John W. Waters,	1,156
*Bryan McSweeney,	952
*Philip McKenna,	940
John O'Brien,	910
James H. Connolly,	880
Hartly J. Tarr,	689
Edward F. Carney,	667
Owen Kerrigan,	310
J. Howard Nason,	63
Wilmont D. Nelson,	55
Wm. Breslin,	38
Eliphaz Prior,	38
Chas. W. Dorr,	37
Scattering,	28
SCHOOL COMMITTEE.	
*Daniel W. Bond,	1,304
*George P. Bartlett,	1,203
*Cyrus T. Lang,	1,176
Jennie K. Adams,	1,064
Julius F. Ramsdell,	1,009
James H. Conway,	916
Scattering,	4
LICENSE.	
Yes, 897.	No, 1,066

THE ORGANIZATION.

The new Board of Selectmen met on Monday afternoon for the purpose of organizing. Mr. John Ferguson called the meeting to order, which proceeded to business at once. James Skinner was elected Chairman of the Board, and John Ferguson was elected Clerk. After this the following Standing Committees were chosen:

Finance and Claims—Skinner, Kenney, Cottle, Salmon, Kimball.

Assessors and Fence Viewers—Grammer, Ferguson, Salmon, Kimball, Skinner.

Overseers of the Poor—Ferguson, Salmon, Golden, Kenney, Murray.

Highway Surveyors—Salmon, Cottle, Golden, Grammer, Murray.

Military and Fire Department—Cottle, Grammer, Salmon, Ferguson, Kimball.

Police and Street Lights—Kenney, Grammer, Cottle, Murray, Skinner.

Board of Health—Murray, Salmon, Golden, Kimball, Ferguson.

Legislative—Kimball, Skinner, Grammer, Kenney, Salmon.

Permits for Moving Buildings—Ferguson.

The organization of the Board is not only a judicious one but it has a business look to it that is encouraging. No better selection for Chairman than Mr. Skinner could have been made; Mr. Ferguson will be perfectly at home at the Clerk's desk and as Chairman of the Almshouse Committee; Mr. Salmon is an old road-builder and has given good service in former years as Chairman of the Committee on Highways; the selection of Col. Grammer as Chairman of the Assessors was an excellent one in every way; E. C. Cottle fits into the Chairmanship of the Military and Fire Committee nicely; Kenney was properly put at the head of the Police Department; Murray of the Health; Kimball of Legislative; Skinner Chairman of the Finance Committee, and Ferguson of Moving Permits. Thus it will be seen that each Department has a good man at the helm, which is as it should be.

Town Reports 1886-7.

The annual reports of the Selectmen and other departments of the town government were ready for delivery late last week at the Police Headquarters and since then many copies have been taken out. Typographically the job was a pretty poor one, as it necessarily must have been at the low price paid the Boston printer for doing it. Numerous errors are easily detected all through from beginning to end, and the proof-reading was particularly negligent and bad. The paper was poor, and generally the job was one that the town could not feel proud of. A few dollars were saved by our town authorities by going out of town to have the Report done, but they got a mighty poor piece of work. The following figures are taken from the various reports and give some idea of the running and standing of the town:

The report shows 399 births during the year, 127 marriages, 17 being widowers and 11 widows—oldest male, 62; oldest female, 51; youngest male, 20; female, 16. Deaths registered, 234; males, 119; females, 115; 19 were between the ages of 80 and 90. Dogs licensed, 617; paid county treasurer, $1257.60. The report of Chief of Police Wilmot D. Nelson shows number of arrests 556, of whom but 17 were females and 133 non-residents; lodgers cared for, 1108. Cause of arrest: drunks, 357; assault, 63; larceny, 33; disturbance, 20, and the balance sundry offences. Property stolen, $416; property recovered, $276; commitments, 184; fines imposed, $4656.78; lost children, 16; dead bodies3; fires extinguished, 20. The gross sinking funds amount to about $147,824. The Superintendent of Schools states the number of school children between 5 and 15 years to be 2637. There are forty-three schools and fifty-one school teachers; average cost per pupil, basis of enrolment, $12.-99. The number of volumes in the public library is 24,330.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

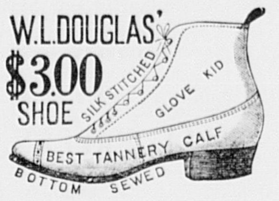
The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. W. Hill.

Thanks to God.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Woburn desires thus publicly to render thanks to Almighty God for the "No License" victory He has given their town.

They also wish to express their keen appreciation of the courtesies extended to the ladies who stood at the polls on Monday. Per order,

MRS. WM. A. BLODGETT, Sec'y.



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All kinds of REPAIRS done at Moderate prices: front and back stays stitched on Ladies fine Kid Boots: also New gorings put into all kinds of shoes.

AT LEATHE'S buy your shoes for all kinds of weather;
He has them all made from good solid leather;
Please remember 201 Main is the street;
Buy your shoes there and you'll never get beat.

WINCHESTER.

The widening of Wildwood street will be a good improvement.

Only 8 of the fair dames of this beautiful burg voted for school committeemen last week.

The Hill district is going to have a school and it is well for the pupils and town that it is. The proposition was strongly endorsed at town meeting last week.

Rev. Mr. Wright, pastor of the M. E. Church in Woburn, gave a very able address before the Reform Club last Sunday afternoon. There is quite a temperance revival here.

A handsome complimentary vote was given by the town meeting last week to Mr. John T. Manny who has been for so many years the efficient treasurer of this town. The tribute to his honesty and worth was well merited.

Rev. John. H. Mansfield, pastor of the M. E. Church here, having served the allotted three years, will be obliged to leave here this spring. Everybody here regrets to lose him for he is a genuine good man, a Christian, a valuable citizen, successful pastor, and universally esteemed by all. His church would be very glad to retain him here longer, but this cannot be done, and as soon as the conference is over he will leave.

The adjourned Town Meeting held last Monday evening was a jolly one. Great interest was taken in the proceedings by everyone present and there was talking to kill figuratively speaking. Good feelings prevailed thanks to the kind and forbearing character of our people, and things generally were lively. This is a summary of what was done: Report of committee on Town debt accepted and adopted. The new town hall committee was instructed to continue the work, and a further sum of $10,000 was appropriated to furnish additional room for the town library. The article in relation to providing a poor farm was dismissed. The Selectmen were authorized to purchase or exchange two or more horses which are used by the fire department, and $600 was appropriated for that purpose. The matter of widening Forest street was referred to the Selectmen.

T. E. Moore, of Thorndike, Mass. "I have used *Dr. Seth Arnold's Cough Killer* in my family for a number of years, and find none better." For sale by all druggists. Price 25c., 50c., and $1.00 per bottle.

For costiveness, biliousness, headache, and all feverish habits, use Dr. Seth Arnold's Bilious Pills. 25 cents.

BURLINGTON.

Mr. Edwin A. Bennett lost a valuable cow this week.

News has just reached us of the death of Mr. George Bennet, at his home, Wednesday morning.

The Literary Union will give an entertainment, in the Town Hall next Wednesday evening. The gentlemen will present a burlesque of "The Merchant of Venice." Supper will be served by the ladies. Admission 15 cents, supper tickets, 25 cents. Proceeds for street lamps.

Mr. George Skelton gives an interesting account of the first cultivated strawberries produced in this town which were raised by his father, the late Mr. Wyman Skelton. These berries carefully hulled and packed in boxes, with a grape leaf at the top and one at the bottom, were often sold for sixty-two cents and sometimes for seventy-five cents a box. The variety was the "Pineapple."

Boston & Maine and Fitchburg.

(From the Boston Record.)

THE WOBURN JOURNAL strongly indorses the idea of constructing a new railroad from Haverhill to Boston by the way of Woburn and the old Mystic Valley route. The JOURNAL suggests that the Fitchburg Railroad is behind the movement, and it is not at all improbable. It looks now like a very sharp contest between the Fitchburg and the Boston & Maine, in which the Fitchburg will be fighting for its independence and the Boston & Maine will be trying to force the Fitchburg into its combination.

(From the Boston Globe.)

It is a straight tip that the Fitchburg will not be drawn into any Boston & Maine net.

Disagreements between these companies may be made useful to Woburn if due advantage is taken of them.

(Special Dispatch to the Boston Herald.)

LAWRENCE, April 4, 1887. A prominent stockholder in the new Haverhill & Lawrence railroad, passing through here today, narrated a proposed deal between the Concord and Haverhill & Lawrence made imperative by the consolidation of the Lowell and the Maine. By the proposed plan the Concord is to secure a terminus in Boston, and the Haverhill & Lawrence also an entrance into the Hub. The plan is for the Concord to build a spur track from the Manchester & Lawrence road at Messer's crossing, N. H., running through Lawrence, connecting with the Haverhill & Lawrence here on Canal street, thence, both jointly, across the Merrimac river toward Boston, over the roadbed of the old Mystic Valley railroad, connecting with the Fitchburg outside Boston, and thence over its tracks into the city, the site of the boarding houses of the old Washington corporation to be the location of the freight and passenger depots here.

From the Boston Traveller of Feb. 26, 1887.

HOW TO OBTAIN A PATENT.—Every Yankee tries to invent something in the course of his life. Every Yankee, however, does not succeed in obtaining letters-patent, for an invention after he has made it. The best of legal counsels is very necessary in obtaining a sound and sure patent, and persons should be careful not to intrust their business to the so-called patient agents, many of whom know absolutely nothing about patient law. Mr. J McC. Perkins, a member of the bar of the United States Supreme Court, has recently established an office in Boston at No. 61 Court St. Mr. Perkins has had a residence in Washington for many years, and has built up a reputation second to none for success in obtaining letters-patent on inventions. He has issued a little book in which he tells why patents are so often worthless; how they should be obtained, and how to avoid the losses and disappointments, which befall most inventors and patentees. From its tone it is very evident that Mr. Perkins would be a most reliable man for inventors to trust their business to, and all inventors would do well to bear his name in mind.

The New England Conservatory of Music have bought 100 Ivers & Pond Pianos. Write Ivers & Pond Piano Co., 181 Tremont St., if about to purchase, and get information free.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10 30 a. m. Young people's meeting at 6 P. M.; Sunday School Easter Concert at 7 P. M. The usual meeting Wednesday evening; Christian Endeavor Friday evening.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.: young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; short sermon followed by prayer meeting at 7 p. m. Wednesday and Friday evening prayer meeting.

When a firm that has earned a reputation for honesty and fair dealing, announces that it will do certain things, no matter how extravagant their statements may seem to be, it is but just that before deciding that they are scheming to swindle their patrons, you investigate thoroughly their offers and methods, do so in the case of B. A. Atkinson & Co., and you will be convinced that not only are their statements true, but that it is for your best interests to patronize them.

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If the Liver becomes torpid, if the bowels are constipated, or if the stomach fails to perform its functions properly, use Ayer's Pills. They are invaluable.

For some years I was a victim to Liver Complaint, in consequence of which I suffered from General Debility and Indigestion. A few boxes of Ayer's Pills restored me to perfect health.—W. T. Brightney, Henderson, W. Va.

For years I have relied more upon Ayer's Pills than anything else, to

Regulate

my bowels. These Pills are mild in action, and do their work thoroughly. I have used them with good effect, in cases of Rheumatism, Kidney Trouble, and Dyspepsia. —G. F. Miller, Attleborough, Mass.

Ayer's Pills cured me of Stomach and Liver troubles, from which I had suffered for years. I consider them the best pills made, and would not be without them.—Morris Gates, Downsville, N. Y.

"I was attacked with Bilious Fever, which was followed by Jaundice, and was so dangerously ill that my friends despaired of my recovery. I commenced taking Ayer's Pills, and soon regained my customary strength and vigor.—John C. Pattison, Lowell, Nebraska.

Last spring I suffered greatly from a troublesome humor on my side. In spite of every effort to cure this eruption, it increased until the flesh became entirely raw. I was troubled, at the same time, with Indigestion, and distressing pains in

The Bowels.

By the advice of a friend I began taking Ayer's Pills. In a short time I was free from pain, my food digested properly, the sores on my body commenced healing, and, in less than one month, I was cured. —Samuel D. White, Atlanta, Ga.

I have long used Ayer's Pills, in my family, and believe them to be the best pills made.—S. C. Darden, Darden, Miss.

My wife and little girl were taken with Dysentery a few days ago, and I at once began giving them small doses of Ayer's Pills, thinking I would call a doctor if the disease became any worse. In a short time the bloody discharges stopped, all pain went away, and health was restored. —Theodore Esling, Richmond, Va.

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Closing-out Sale of Millinery Goods

At very low prices for the next 30 days. Ladies and Children's Hats and Bonnets, 25 and 50 cents, worth 50 cents and $1.00. A few ready-trimmed Hats and Bonnets, new this season, $2.50 and $3.00. Other goods in proportion.

MRS. C. A. PIERCE,
8 Johnson street, Woburn.

Rebecca's Triumph.

A dramatic entertainment entitled "Rebecca's Triumph," will be given in the Vestry of the

UNITARIAN CHURCH,

Wednesday Evening, April 13,

AT 8 O'CLOCK.

The following to take part:—Miss Alice Grammer, Miss Fanny Johnson, Miss Annie Seeley, Miss Alice Champney, Miss Edie Ramsdell, Miss Cora Carswell, Miss Edie Platts, Miss Edie Davis, Miss Mabel Ellis, Miss Stella Lincoln, Marguerita Faick. Assisted by Mrs. S. C. PHINNEY and Master Willie Sawyer. Miss Nellie Platts, Pianist.

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Entertainment at	8 o'clock
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Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank.

NOTICE.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Trustees of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank will be held at their Banking Rooms on Friday, April 1, 1887, at 7.30 P. M., for the transaction of such business as may legally come before said meeting.

E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk.

Money deposited on or before Saturday, April 9, 1887, will draw interest from April 1.

E. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

Woburn, March 24, 1887.

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Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

By license of the Probate Court for the County of Middlesex, the subscriber, executor of the will of Eliza A. Q. Stevens, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday, the twenty-third day of April, A. D. 1887, at five o'clock in the afternoon, the house and lot on Pond street, in said Woburn, belonging to the estate of said Eliza A. Q. Stevens, and bounded northerly, by said street, there measuring about seventy-two feet; westerly, on a private street, there measuring about one hundred and fifty feet; southerly, by land formerly of Moses A. Tyler, there measuring about seventy-two feet; and easterly, by land last named, there measuring about one hundred forty-seven and one-half feet.

Said lot will be sold subject to a mortgage of seven hundred dollars, with interest accrued thereon.

$100 will be required of purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.

HENRY CUMMINGS.

EDWARD F. JOHNSON, Attorney.

Woburn, April 6, 1887.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Joshua Seward, of Woburn, in said County, an insane person, now deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, John W. Johnson, the Guardian of said insane person, has presented for allowance the final account of his guardianship;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

MISS E. H. BUELL

WILL RESUME HER

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11 Montvale avenue, on Monday, April 11.

The full use of the carriage will be continued.

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'Tis time for young and old to know
That Fevers, Lassitude and all
The ills at Indigestions call,
With every trouble, ache or pain,
That follows in the Bilious train,
Will scatter like the thieves of night
Before a draught of Seltzer bright.

WANTED.

A few ladies and gentlemen, who have some acquaintances, to act as agent for something that sells readily. No canvassing required. Address W. A. DAVIS, 3 Park street, Boston, Mass.

LOST.

Bunch of Keys, with bone tag, no name on it, most keys of Yale make, one large key. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning the same to Steamer House on Winn street, Woburn, Mass.

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MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of Rosanna Doherty, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, George Doherty, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at Laws and others interested in the estate of Kiernan J. Kenney, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Mary E. Kenney, Administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court her petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased described in said petition, for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate under the will of Leonard Thompson, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, testate, given in trust for the benefit of Anna M. Thompson, Maria L. Thompson and Sarah M. Thompson,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Edward F. Johnson, the trustee under said will, has presented for allowance the first account of his trusteeship;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said Trustee is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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P. G. HANSON,

Woburn, Jan. 18, 1886.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Daniel Mullen, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Patrick E. Tenney of said Woburn, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may issued to him, the executrix named in said will having declined the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

10-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

FOR SALE.

The farm of the late LUTHER A. FOWLE, situated on Lexington street, about one mile west of Woburn Center, containing about NINETY ACRES—thirty acres of wood, the remainder divided into tillage, mowing, and pasture. The land is level, easy to work, very productive and is one of the most valuable and desirable farms in this vicinity, either for market gardening, general farming, stock raising, or dairy. The house is two story, contains nine rooms, and is in good condition. Large new barn, conveniently arranged and has cellar. The celebrated HIAWATHA GROVE, is on this farm: it is a popular resort for pleasure parties, and will yield a good income.

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By an American lady, a position as housekeeper in a widower's family; consider myself competent and reliable, and very desirous of getting a permanent situation. Address, H. A. R., rear 14 High street, Lynn, Mass.

Woman's Column.

WHO IS TO BLAME?

Col. Higginson, in his speech at the State House, the other day, said that "much of the indifference of women concerning school suffrage was due to the practical difficulties created by the law. All his own political duties did not give him as much trouble as the effort to keep his wife's name on the voting list, and he failed about every other year in even that." Here is the secret of the indifference which is enlarged upon with so much unction. Col. Higginson's experience is worth volumes of theories. If a woman with a husband to defend and assist her has so much difficulty in keeping her name on the voting list, what can be said of hundreds of women who have no male representative? Who is to blame in this matter? Nothing could be more absurd than this twaddle about the indifference of women, when every step has been made not only difficult but humiliating. When we know that two-thirds of all the church members in this country are women, while four-fifths of all the criminals are men, it is the merest nonsense to talk about "the influence of depraved women in politics." When we know, also, that nearly all of our charitable organizations are largely managed by women, it is absurd to say that "women are not interested in public affairs." The opponents of women suffrage assert that the majority of women do not wish to vote. Very well. Wendell Phillips said that "the history of the world was a history of minorities." If so, why should we deny the ballot to the women who do wish to use it for the good of society? Why should we make a pretence of being generous, by giving them a right to vote on school matters, and then environ the right with difficulties which would deter any man from exercising it?—*Boston Globe.*

WOMANLY INFLUENCE.

It is often said that women would "lose their influence" if they were allowed to vote. But what is it that gives influence? Beauty, goodness, tact, talent, money, pleasing manners, social position—a hundred things, not one of which would be destroyed by the right to vote. Then, in addition, the right to vote itself carries influence, even when the voter has neither character nor brains. The tastes and prejudices of the most ignorant man are considered and deferred to by political managers, for the sake of their votes, while the wishes of the most intelligent women often pass unregarded, because they are not voters.

It is said "A woman can exert more influence by talking with her husband and friends and teaching her children than she can by voting," as if it would be impossible for her to do both. After suffrage is granted, women will still be able to talk with their friends and to teach their children; every avenue of influence they now have will still be open to them, and another very important one in addition. Nor is it likely that the opinions of women on public questions would be regarded with less respect by men than they are now, merely because the law had raised women out of their present category with children, lunatics and other persons whose political opinions are considered not worth counting.

There is really no sense in what is often said about indirect influence being greater than direct influence, as if the two were incompatible. Every good man exerts both. He has an indirect power for good by his character and personal influence, and a direct power for good by his vote. The latter never interferes with the former. There is an old story about a prisoner who had been shut up for years in a dungeon, receiving light only through a chink in the wall. His mind became weakened by long captivity, and when his friends proposed to tear down the wall and let him out, he protested. He said that if the wall were destroyed, the chink through which all his light came would be destroyed, too, and he would be left in total darkness. The fear that women would "lose their influence" if they had votes, is just as irrational. All the means of influence they have now they would have still, and one more besides. Whatever amount of influence and respect women now possess, they possess in spite of their political disabilities, not because of them.—*Alice Stone Blackwell.*

Twenty-seven years ago, Henry Ward Beecher, in a powerful lecture on woman suffrage, predicted that one of the first good results of the reform would be the removal of the polling places to more respectable quarters, and the increased order and civility of elections. The Republican Convention, which met at Topeka, Kansas, on March 7, expressed a cordial welcome to the newly enfranchised ladies, and adopted a series of resolutions, entitled "For the new voters," favoring safety and convenience of voters at the polls, and recommending their removal to more respectable locations. They also declare that no woman whose political duties call her on the street on election day shall be subjected to any inconvenience, or have any ticket thrust into her hand unless she asks for it. The Boston *Traveller* says:

"This view of what is really the practical effect of woman suffrage is interesting, and the advocates of political enfranchisement for women will be more than mortal if they can refrain from airs of triumph in this fulfilment of their long prophesies as to the better state of affairs when women go to the polls."

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by Wm. W. Hill.

A woman of Motiers, in the canton of Neuchatel, Switzerland, confesses to having caused a great many fires which have occurred in the canton during a long series of years, and that when only 18 years of age she strangled her husband, to whom she had been married about eleven months, simply because she was tired of him.

AN EXCESS OF BOREDOM.

A Millionaire Tired of Life Finds a New Kind of Amusement.

A famous millionaire sat on the edge of a table in the Casino at Newport one night and stared at his boots in dismay.

"Yaw!" he yawned, in an excess of boredom, as he raised his eyebrows and rammed his hands deep into his pockets, "It's slow; monstrously slow."

Apparently it was. One or two men in faultless attire smoked near a window. Others sprawled in languid desperation in the deep armchairs, and an eminent stock speculator added drowsiness to it all by snoring with subtle but penetrating regularity in the corner. It was a sultry night, and the negro waiters mopped their black faces as they whispered together in the corridor. The ennuied millionaire could almost hear the lapping of the water in the harbor against the sides of his beautiful steam yacht. His horses moved uneasily in the heat without and rattled the big pole chain impatiently.

It was nearly midnight in the queen of American watering places, and nothing was going on! The millionaire kicked his heels peevishly against the table and motioned to one of the waiters. They all scrambled forward in such haste that the oldest one slipped and almost fell. The great man smiled, whereat a wave of joy passed over the dusky group, and all but one retired with teeth in full review. Who is unhappy when a millionaire smiles?

"Is the champagne well iced?" asked the man of means, good naturedly.

"It is indeed, sah. De las' bot'le wuz froze dead herd."

"Bring me some."

When the waiter poured it out it was so cold that it dribbled slowly into the glass and sent up a milk white mist almost as thick as the foam that raced to the top of the glass, while the dew gathered in beads on the bottle. The millionaire smiled gently as he gazed at the champagne, and then he glanced at the panting waiter.

"Would you like to shiver, Thomas?" he asked solemnly.

"Me, sah?" said the waiter with a chuckle. "Dere ain't not'in' in dis heah wuld ud make me shivah t'night, sah—no'n'deedy."

"Oh, yes, there is."

"Squse me, sah, but I'm roastin', I am, 'n I don' b'lieve I'll evah be col' again."

"I'll make you shiver in two minutes by the watch or I'll give you $50."

"Go ahead, sah!"

Without more ado the millionaire took the champagne bottle from the other's hand, turned it upside down, thrust it calmly down the back of the darky's neck and left it there, while the champagne dripped gently down the waiter's spine. Then, watch in hand, he waited, while the loungers sat up and the waiters moved in from the corridors with their eyes fairly starting from their heads.

"Don' you shivah, yo fool niggah!" said the foremost of them in a hoarse whisper to Thomas. "Fy' do I'll—I'll kick yo' head offen y' body, shuh. Y' got a chance ter pay me dem seving dollahs now, an' if y' miss it I'll lam y'—I will fer a fac'."

Meanwhile the writer stood there with pursed lips, staring eyes and clenched fists. His head was bent forward and his legs spread apart, while his breath came in mighty snorts. The loungers were crowding around with their watches in their hands making bets rapidly while the time wore slowly away. Presently the millionaire shouted:

"One minute!"

"Oh, Lordy!" moaned Thomas in a voice like the sorrowful roar of a cavern by the sea, "I'm a-goin', I'm a-goin!"

"Remember dem seving dollahs!"

There was an awful hush, the sound of the grinding of African teeth, a wild "Huh-wu-whoooo!" followed by helpless chattering, and Thomas stood shaking like an aspen leaf, with one eye turned appealingly on the seven dollar man, while the other sought the face of the millionaire. One after another the waiters essayed the test, and for two hours the Casino was the liveliest spot in America. Then the famous millionaire climbed contentedly to the seat of his cart and murmured as he drove home in the moonlight: "It wasn't so monstrously slow after all."—Blakely Hall in New York World.

Mulcted for a Mule Collar.

A few instances out of a multitude will suffice to show the way in which the government is in the habit of dealing with its servants. An officer, who has since risen to the highest rank in the service, was for many years engaged in explorations upon the plains. After a particularly long and severe trip, he turned in his transportation to a quartermaster in Texas. Upon investigation it was found that a mule collar was missing, but this was thought nothing of at the time, such losses being inevitable in the course of a long trip. This occurred in 1852. In 1867 a letter was received by the officer in question, then a major general, asking what disposition he had made of that mule collar, and requesting its immediate return. No attention was paid to this missive, and the correspondence ceased for the time being, but in a few months another epistle of like tenor came to hand, and to this day demands are made at intervals for the surrender of the mule collar which was lost upon the staked plains in 1852. At least twenty letters have been written the general of the army concerning a trace chain which he had upon his papers when stationed in California in 1848, and which it is alleged he never accounted for, but presumably converted to his own uses.—Globe Democrat.

A Horological Marvel.

A large clock just completed in Germany by Christian Martin is said to surpass in wonderful construction all previous achievements. It is designed to show the seconds, minutes, quarter hours, hours, days, weeks, months, the four seasons, the years and leap years until the close of 99,999 A. D. It gives indications for every latitude, and records the successive phases of the moon. It not only strikes the quarters and hours but the minutes as well, sixty different symbolic figures performing the work. A night watchman blows the hours of the night on his horn, a cock crows at sunrise, and a cuckoo appears in spring. There are moving pictures, a bell ringing sacristan who kneels and folds his hands, and flute toned musical works, besides other interesting features.—Arkansaw Traveler.

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Some of the neatest women in this country have used J. C. Davis' Old Soap and survived. It has washed many a distinguished baby. The following are some of the opinions expressed by leading people who have used the J. C. Davis Old Soap. Said leading people not having time to do the writing, we take the liberty:—

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J. G. Davis' Old Soap beats everything of its kind.—C. V. Farwell.

You can bet your life J. C. Davis' Old Soap is the best.—John A. Logan.

I would not live always, unless I could get J. C. Davis' Old Soap.—Peter Cooper.

Give me J. C. Davis' Old Soap or give me death.—Patrick Henry.

No, thank you; not any of those Western soaps for me, but if you have a bar of J. C. Davis' Old Soap handy, I will take it home to Lucy.—R. R. Hayes.

J. C. Davis' Old Soap forever.—Michael McDonald.

We might go on indefinitely, giving expressions of great men that have used the Old Soap, but life is too brief. Use it, and if you get any dirt on your clothes, and most persons that travel around in this world get more or less, it will prove a ministering angel and make your linen whiter than the driven snow. It will lessen and smooth away the wrinkles that time has planted on your brow, and make you feel younger and more wholesome.

Michigan has a law to the effect that railroad men must be total abstainers; and any railroad corporation knowingly employing a man who is not is liable to a fine of $500. There are about 600,000 of this class of men in the United States, and all the companies encourage, while many of them *require*, total abstinence. Here is a kind of prohibitory law which seems to be quite effectively enforced, and whose influence for good must be immeasurable. Every man and every concern employing help in large numbers or small is doing a grand thing for the community in establishing and enforcing such a rule.—*Congregationalist.*

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If you have a cold, cough, bronchitis, or any form of throat or lung disease, do not neglect it. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, if promptly taken, will speedily relieve and cure all ailments of this character.

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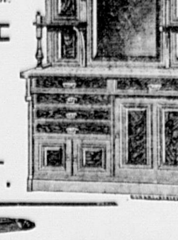

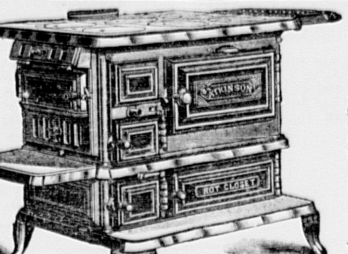

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An attempt to put an end to betting at the races in France has received surprised English comment. The *Pall Mall Gazette* says, in speaking of the state of sporting society in England: With us there is betting in almost every class of sport. In some cases if there were no bets there would be no sport. The Prince of Wales, Lord Hartington, the Duke of Westminster, Lord Rosebery, the Duke of Portland, Lord Randolph Churchill, Sir Charles Russell—the list might be extended to fill our whole issue—are all racing and betting men. Our own authorities may crush the picturesque scoundrels who are to be seen on our racecourses, but the Leviathan will go on for ever, fostered by statesmen and admired and envied by millions.

The breath of a cronic catarrh patient is often so offensive that he cannot go into society and he becomes an object of disgust. After a time ulceration sets in, the spongy bones are attacked and frequently entirely destroyed. A constant source of discomfort is the dripping of the purulent secretions into the throat sometimes producing inveterate bronchitis, which in its turn has been the exciting cause of pulmonary disease. The brilliant results which have attended its use for years past properly designate Ely's Cream Balm as by far the best and only real cure.

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A strong scientific temperance instruction bill passed the Minnesota Legislature March 1. This makes twenty-six States and Territories that have provided for the instruction of their youth upon this important subject.

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The great church of St. Sophia at Constantinople was built by Justinian, who ruled the Byzantine Empire from A. D. 527 to 565, and whose name is associated with the great legal code which has formed the bases of the law of most of the nations of Europe.

The discovery of an aqueduct which probably dates back to the time of King Solomon is reported from Jerusalem, and it is confidently anticipated that the further excavation of it will bring to light some extremely interesting and valuable inscriptions.

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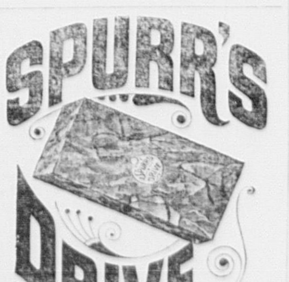

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FOR LAWRENCE at 8.22, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 1.34, 4.21, 5.10, 5.57, 6.41, 7.55, 11.33 P. M. Sunday, 9.28, A. M., 5.28, P. M. RETURN, 6.40, 7.45, 9.30, 11.00, A. M., 12.05, 1.30, 4.05, 6.03, 9.20, P. M. Sundays, 8.55 A. M., 4.25 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.26, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 2.21, 3.21, 5.10, 6.41, 9.25, 11.33 P. M. Sunday, 9.28 A. M., 5.28, P. M. RETURN, 6.35, 7.17, 7.35, 9.15, 11.00, A. M., 6.00, 6.30, P. M. Sunday, 9.00, A. M., 4.30 P. M.

For Nashua, Manchester, Concord, N. H., 7.26, 11.24 A. M., 3.21, 6.41 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H., 7.26 A. M., 3.21 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton N. H., 7.26 A. M., 3.21, P. M.

For WARNER, BRADFORD, SUNAPEE, NEWPORT, N. H., and CLAREMONT at 11.24 A. M.

For PENACOOK, FRANKLIN, LEBANON and WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, 7.26, 11.24 A. M., 3.21, 6.41 P. M.

For TILTON, LACONIA, MEREDITH, ASHLAND and PLYMOUTH at 7.26, 11.24 A. M., 6.41 P. M.

For stations north of Plymouth and stations on the Passumpsic R. R., at 7.26, A. M., 6.41 P. M.

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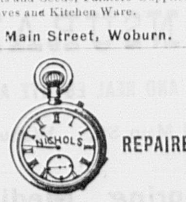

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G. A. R. Burbank Post, 33. Thursday evening. 194 Main street.
G. A. R. Woburn Post, 161. Wednesday evening. 121 Main street.
S. of V. Charles Meriam Camp, No. 23. Monday evening. 121 Main Street.
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A. O. H. Division 3, Thursday, Hibernian Hall, 205 Main street. Division 18, Montvale, Friday, A. O. H. Hall, Montvale Avenue.
Celtic Society. Salmon's Building. Main street.
S. of T. Perseverance Division, No. 6. Tuesday. Fraternity Hall, 121 Main street.
Order of Templars. Scandinavian Temple Thor, No. 37. 2d and 4th Friday. Fraternity Hall, 121 Main street.
O. T. Scandinavian Temple Freja, No. 64. Saturday. Fraternity Hall, 121 Main street.
St. Charles C. T. A. Society. Lyceum Building, Main street.
L. O. L. No Surrender Lodge, No. 110. 2d and 4th Thursday. Fraternity Hall, 121 Main street.
Rumford Historical Association. Count Rumford's Birthplace, North Woburn. Meetings annually.
Mishawum Club. 194 Main street.
Bellevue Club. 211 Main street.
Board of Trade. Tuesday. 173 Main street.
Woburn Woman's Club. 1st and 3d Friday afternoons at church vestries.
C. L. S. C. Woburn Circle. Tuesday evenings, fortnightly.
Woburn Fireman's Relief Association. Annual Meeting in May.
Woburn Bicycle Club. 1st Monday. Kelley's Block, 211 Main street.
Y. M. C. A. Rooms 127 Main street.
K. of L. Tanners' and Curriers' Assembly 2956. Tuesday. Hibernian Hall, 205 Main street. Lincoln Assembly, 4588. Monday. Hibernian Hall. Merrimac Assembly, 7650, North Woburn. Monday. Montvale Assembly, 4923. Montvale. Thursday. A. O. H. Hall.
Woburn Brass Band. F. A. Buckman, Agent.
National Brass Band. P. Calnan, Jr., Agent.
National Orchestra. J. Collins, Agent.
Mendelssohn Vocal Club. Monday. G. A. R. Hall, 194 Main street.
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The Woburn Journal

A SHREWD DEVICE.

To dwell at any length on the youth and early struggles of Felix Hailstone would be both an unnecessary and an uninteresting act. As the writer of fiction, the voluminous, untiring, dull, and middle aged writer of fiction, he claims our attention; and with the exception, therefore, of some immediately following biographical sentences, this narrative will be devoted to him in that capacity.

Probably his direct enemy could not devise any more fatal gift for a young, aspiring and promising author than sudden succession to half a million of money; but in Mr. Hailstone's case, the unexpected possession of a sum but little smaller than that mentioned proved no deadly stumbling block to labor. He was young at the time, and aspiring, but not promising—far from promising—and to him money meant the sole likely or possible means of ever seeing his thoughts in any other garment than that of his own handwriting. A magnificent incentive, therefore, was our friend's half million. He loved the trade of novelist, as no one so indifferently furnished for it ever did before, and from the days of monetary prosperity, all that which publishers had refused to publish, all that which editors had shuddered at, appeared in what form the author pleased—and he chose the most handsome form—at his own expense. Hailstone rubbed bindings with all the most popular wares in the market. Such experience as could buy Felix bought. He interested himself in literary companies, took sub-editorships on decaying journals, lost large sums, and, finally, himself floated an illustrated monthly magazine after a scheme of his own evolution. The word "float," however, as having more than a suggestion of buoyancy or specific lightness about it, must be deemed ill-chosen when treating of any such periodical as "The Torch." The first number of this trifle would have anchored the "Great Eastern" in a gale. Hailstone himself contributed two-thirds of the initial venture, which, thus handicapped, spluttered to the extent of a three-copy circulation and expired.

The ordinary railway novel—with a sensational picture of somebody doing nothing on the outside—was, for a period of ten years, our author's main method of keeping himself before the public, and his next undertaking of importance appears to have been a society journal. Engaging for this a literary man who understood the distribution of prize watches by coupon, the value of puzzles, competitions, and so forth—matters which, in these days when everybody reads, are essential to the existence of a new social weekly—Mr. Hailstone produced, in winter time, on paper, well calculated to light, fires, his periodical. It ran till the weather grew warmer, and Felix always reckoned the effort among his successes.

With a bound we now come to the days of the "Shocker"—the "shilling shocker." Our author gloried in this new departure. He burst upon the public with flashes of lightning on his covers; he tempted the elect with insidious titles and enigmatical pictures; he crept into men's hearts by printing every chapter of his lucubrations on paper of a different color; he displayed, in fine, more ingenuity than his best friends had ever credited him with; and some went so far as to foretell that he might yet gain the public ear.

In justice to Mr. Hailstone we may here say, once and for all, that he had admirers, though unfortunately of a class who discounted their approval and admiration. He was a man of wealth, be it remembered, and, as such, gave a vast deal of occupation to that large community of feeble folks who spend their time in devising methods for creeping to rich men's pockets. These people not only found good and much of moral instruction in Felix's works, but generally took the liberty of mentioning it, together with other irrelevant facts. Some of his readers had large families, Hailstone discovered; some, only one arm; some, a stroke; one wrote with the water he washed in because ink could not be purchased without money; one admirer was not far from death, another from starving. Our author's writing on an empty stomach, by the by, must, humanely speaking, have meant years off a man's life.

Mr. Hailstone, however, was blessed with common sense in large quantities, a fact accounting in some measure, possibly, for his lack of success in fiction. He perfectly well knew that his books were not largely read, and determined to break new ground and tempt fortune with something historical. A novel the book should be in name, and in name only, he decided. People might read the coming volume for plot if they chose; but, as a teacher, as a crystalized epitome of by-gone era, the book must live; that Mr. Hailstone was determined. Condescending to no casuistical questions as to what really does or does not constitute the past, Felix boldly put the matter beyond all dispute and laid his plot in the year 1870. Then he read up the period, let his pen dry, and lived, for the space of a month, among books other than his own. After which course of study, ordering in ink as another man might order in table ale, the author wrote twelve hours six days a week, and corrected for the press upon the seventh.

With the production of this ponderous and historically acurate work we bring Felix to the most important period of his whole life: that in which the "Hailstone Competition" first entered his mind, and from which this narrative properly has its being.

Mr. Hailstone was 50 years of age, and had written hard upon twice that number of novels, when one day, in his morning newspaper, he chanced to see an advertisement, of which the substance was as follows:

"Three prizes of small value were offered for the longest lists of characters from the fiction of Thackeray. What measure of success attended this speculation is not generally known; but he or she who devised this competition has, without question, a very considerable claim on Mr. Hailstone, and may, indeed, long since have pushed it."

Felix read and ruminated; then a great thought spread its light over his face, and terrific possibilities, entered his mind. Advertisements both bold and subtile he had tried and tried again, but nothing calculated to carry his name all over the world, and certainly nothing in the slightest degree likely to raise universal interest in his writings. Now, however, both these much desired consummations appeared within measurable distance of fulfillment. Substitute, if you please, Mr. Hailstone's name for that of the great novelist already mentioned, enormously increase the sums of money to be offered as prizes, and you see our friend's scheme in a nutshell.

Now, Thackeray has a mere trifle of some 3,000 characters in his works of fiction, but this number sinks into nothingness when compared with Hailstone's creations. From the moment when, at 7 years of age, his youthful mind saturated in nursery fable, little Felix, with much inking of figures, scrawled something which a proud father caused to be printed verbatim, to the days we now treat of, the writer's figments had numerically increased with years; until on the most modest computation some 6,000 of impossibly dull men, women and children owed their existence to his tireless energy and brains.

Mr. Hailstone, his idea once perfected, came to business with the utmost promptitude. During the following month—June, 1885—his announcements appeared wherever the English tongue was spoken. In London he rented an office and engaged a staff competent to deal with the mass of work so big a business would entail. His advertisement itself, as being unique among the curiosities of literature, we here transcribe:

"Felix Hailstone will give the sums of £10,000, £5,000, and £1,000, respectively, for the three most complete lists of characters to be found in his works of fiction. All lists must be at 'The Hailstone Competition Office,' King William street, London, E. C., before 12 p. m. on Dec. 31, 1885.

"Intending competitors would do well to notice the following most important fact:

"Mr. Hailstone's new novels will appear monthly, and will all be included in the competition up to September next. By this arrangement every English speaking nation and colony will enjoy equal chances of success with the United Kingdom.

"Any inquiries or communications addressed to 'The Office,' as above, will receive immediate attention. Bankers, Messrs. Misery & Iron, London.

"There is no entrance fee of any kind."

From the first Mr. Hailstone's undertaking assumed gigantic proportions, and the interest occasioned by his manifesto, as soon as its genuineness and solidity were put beyond question, appeared very considerable indeed.

Ninety-three English publishers were upon our author's track immediately, and double that number of American ones also busied themselves—not with Hailstone, but his writings. Though he made no money in America, however, Felix came fairly well out of much piracy and tribulation; for, amidst reproduction, reviews and reproaches, he was read, and the laws of international copyright, for once, played an author's game in spite of himself.

At home matters fell out differently. Hailstone became a notable man; a good deal was written of him and his books; these latter suddenly acquired extrinsic value, and the English rights of reproducing them were paid for in sums of three figures.

New editions of Hailstone became the order of the day, and hardly a man or woman, though he or she might have no intention of actually participating in the coming contest, but bought one at least of the now celebrated novels.

Then was "The Torch" relighted; then did the "Shockers" pile themselves feet high on the book stalls, and the historic tome extend its ponderous form; for thousands of eager brains were devoting themselves to Hailstone and all his works.

Certain novels—perhaps ten in all—their author refused to republish, thereby giving rise to much excitement, much despair among those who could not procure the works in question, much jubilation among those who did.

Literary papers, amidst their chronicles of rare book finds, imminent sales of scarce publications, and so forth, would contain such items of news as the following:

"Mr. Jones, of Peckham Rye, was fortunate enough on Friday last to discover in a cupboard, unopened for many years, Felix Hailstone's 'Fallen Angel,' a novel of which only thirteen copies are in existence. The prologue has unfortunately been eaten by mice."

Or this:

"Two dustmen, in the exercise of their vocation yesterday afternoon in West Kensington, simultaneously chanced upon Hailstone's 'Tiger Lily' in a place where, until the present sensation period, it might have been expected. The scavengers came to blows, and now each is said to possess half the book. It parted at page 207."

This novel, we may mention, was exceedingly rare, and the two portions were purchased by a company of ten speculators who farmed "The Tiger Lily" with care and success until another copy turned up in Yorkshire.

People got into prison over the Hailstone competition also—a sure sign that the scheme was doing well. Many spurious volumes purporting to be from Hailstone's pen appeared; but there was in these, invariably, some shadow of ability or interest which convicted the authors without need of Felix's own disclaimer. These gentlemen suffered at the hands of justice, and nature herself was also reported as having victims to the Hailstone competion; but whether a prolonged and severe intercourse with our author's fiction really did on any occasion turn a sane man into a lunatic cannot now be known with truth. Ten thousand pounds is a large sum of money, and men have certainly before now risked the madhouse for less than half of it.

In truth the laurels of fame rested at last on Felix Hailstone's brow. Somebody brought out a new pair of braces, which rendered the domestic button a thing of no further account, and to our novelist was this revolutionary suspender dedicated. Then a biography with portrait of Hailstone appeared; and a gentleman, who, it was rumored, would take a prize in the competition, but who ultimately failed to get among the first ten, brought forward a work entitled "Hailstoniana." The "Hailstone Birthday Book" also enjoyed some patronage and at a theatre, where you went in without cost and then paid for programmes, fresh air and other necessaries, brisk business was reported to be doing with something penderous and dismal, attributed to Hailstone's early youth.

Meantime our author kept his word to the public, and amidst all the labors arising from his great undertaking, produced, monthly, a brand new and original novel; but not, it need hardly be said, at his own expense. Publishers bid high, and probably never, since the earliest cave man scratched a mark with one bone upon another, attached meaning to that mark and thereby foreshadowed literature, has matter, so innately valueless, become possessed of greater value. Pages might be devoted to incidents arising out of the "Hailstone Competition;" but as these would weary a dozen readers where they amused one, it will be best to hasten on toward the impending climax.

December waned, and letters began to pour into Felix's office. No lists with fewer than 5,000 names in them stood the smallest chance of ultimate success, and vast numbers were daily destroyed. Tons of waste paper had to be carted away; the wornout clerks demanded an increase of salary and got it; newspapers each morning published the names of those who headed the poll: some sold their interest in the affair to speculators. One competitor, with a total of 6,239, who, on Dec. 23 stood very many points ahead of any other, was offered £9,000 for his chance, but refused to take it; another, whose list had been lost in the post committed suicide.

With the Australian mail arrived between 500 and 600 letters, but no catalogue among them could show any dangerous numbers. America did far better, however, and a competitor from New York only just missed the third place at that stage of the contest. Two hundred London letters came in with a rush upon the last day of all, and a crowd, many thousands strong, saw the old year out beneath the walls of the Hailstone Competition office. Long and patiently they waited, till finally, at 3 o'clock on New Year's morning, with the city bells jangling in their ears the result was made known to them. A blaze of electric light illuminated the window upon which all eyes had so long been fixed, and upon a huge blackboard in letters two feet high appeared the following legend:

Mr. T. Jones, London,	6,240
Mr. F. Williams, London,	6,239
Miss Amy Brown, London,	5,814

London had won the competition outright, and the hurricane of cheers which greeted this fact was heard in the stillness of the night by solitary policemen at a distance of miles from the scene of action.

Mr. Hailstone, in whose honor the cheering was renewed, appeared at the window after a short pause and made the following statement:

"Every line," said he, that I ever remember to have had published has been secured by Messrs. Jones and Williams; but the former, by some extraordinary chance, has come into possession of a fragment that I wrote when an infant, a fragment which my father, the late Felix Hailstone, of Mincing Lane, had printed exactly as it left my childish pen. This fairly comes under the conditions of my original manifesto: it is fiction and written by me.

The biography which robbed Mr. Williams of £10,000 and put that sum into the pocket of Mr. Jones, is worth the trouble of transcribing:

"There was wunce a boy called Jon hoo run away to c to c korul refes and parms he was drounded.

FELIX HAILSTONE.
Aged 7 years."

So ended the Hailstone competition. What it cost its originator and what good it did to him would be too considerable a question for mere passing inquiry. Some people declare that Felix actually made money by his scheme; others, that he lost half his fortune and gained nothing; but Hailstone himself never touched upon this point to us, and after all, the subject is a purely personal one. Let us leave our author, therefore, in the halcyon hour of success. He was heard to say, not long since, that a fear almost amounting to a conviction troubled him. When questioned upon the color of his alarm, he answered that the possibility of some day "writing himself out," of some day finding that he had said all he has got to say weighed heavily on his mind.

There is something singularly touching, modest and groundless in these apprehensions.—*Eden Phillpotts in Belgravia.*

A Public Benefaction.

How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in every family. The ELASTIC STARCH is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men have a practical knowledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the iron from sticking and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them clean twice as long. Beware of imitations. See that the name J. C. HUBINGER & BROS., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

The Fitchburg barbers, by a committee, have appealed to the members of their craft throughout the State to unite with them in opposing any change of the present Sunday law which closes their shops on Sunday. They say, very justly, "We are confined in our places of business long enough for six days in the week, without encroaching on the seventh day."

Any man who opposes the sale of intoxicants in the saloon, and yet buys wines, ales and brandies for his own table, is playing into the hands of the enemy.—*Theodore L. Cuyler.*

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A Spanish inventor, Senor Pumariega, proposes applying an electric current to the body a novel method. Flannel is impregnated with oxides of iron, copper, zinc and tin, which are excited by the perspiration of the body and subject the latter to a weak but constant electric current.

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what a saving I have made during the last year by being my own doctor. Last year I paid out $96.25 for doctors and their medicine; this year I paid $5.00 for six bottles of Sulphur Bitters, and they have kept health in my whole family. They are the best and purest medicine ever made.—Charles King, 60 Temple Street, Boston, Mass.

It is not generally known that coal which remains in store perfectly dry is rendered less valuable on that account, yet such is the fact. Most coal mines are saturated with water, and if this is drained off, the coal becomes flinty and valueless. Coal stored through the summer should be sprinkled and kept moist.

A Sad Misfortune.

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If a man wants to drown sorrow in the bowl, let him try a bowl of water. Bowls of liquor are already too full of sorrow.—*N. O. Picayune.*

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Recent Death.

RUTH WYMAN HUTCHINSON.

There ended Tuesday evening in Brooklyn a rare and beautiful life in the death of Mrs. John B. Hutchinson of that city. For thirty-five years a member of Plymouth Church, she was greatly afflicted by the death of Mr. Beecher, her pastor and life long friend, and it was indeed by undue exertions in connection with his funeral that she brought on the illness which terminated so quickly and fatally. No fitting analysis of Mrs. Hutchinson's character, no adequate record of her remarkable work can be crowded into this brief newspaper notice. It is to be hoped that in due time a fuller and more fitting memorial may be prepared as an example to the faint hearted and selfish, as an inspiration to her fellow workers in the great cause of benevolence. Born in Marblehead, April 30, 1815, of good old Puritan stock, and removing shortly afterwards to Arlington, in this State, Mrs. Hutchinson was brought up in the simple, healthful and stimulating atmosphere of New England country life. To this origin and training she owed many of the qualities so marked in her character and so effective in her work, her shrewdness, practical wisdom, tireless energy and unfailing tact. Although interested in every wise reform—her intelligence and experience having been recognized by the governor by an appointment upon the board of prison visitors some years ago—her life was in the main given up to charity. She was indeed the recognized Lady Bountiful of the community in which she lived. The list of her private pensioners was enormous, and here the public knew little of her ministrations, nor indeed did her right hand know much of the doing of her left. But it is of the public, perhaps, we should rather speak here; her great work in connection with the Brooklyn Orphan Asylum; here the results may well be left to speak for themselves. The extraordinary growth of that charity, from its feeble beginning in a few hired rooms to the great and flourishing institution whose grounds and buildings cover nearly a block of ground, is largely due to the munificence, the energy, the patience, the zeal, the tireless labor of Mrs. Hutchinson. It is a noble and sufficient monument. No graven stone or sounding epitaph can compare with so grand and enduring a memento. Of her private character it is difficult to speak within bounds; worth and sweetness in her were so rarely blended. Two notable characteristics impressed all who came in contact with her in social or domestic life—cheerfulness and unselfishness. Her unselfishness had a touch of saintlines; It was not alone lavishness in giving, it was the constant and uncomplaining bearing of others burdens, the ready and cheerful preference of others comfort and convenience to her own. The lessons to be drawn from such a life are obvious. We have all too few of them. The world is sweeter and better that such a spirit-flower should have bloomed and spent its fragrance here. Let us take heed its blossoming shall not have been in vain!—*Boston Transcript, Mar. 22.*

Mrs. Hutchinson will be remembered by our older readers as the daughter of the late Dea. Luke Wyman, whose farm, with ample buildings, is seen across Mystic Pond in Arlington, as the traveller passes it on the cars. The Hutchinson farm lies farther back upon the hills.

From these pleasant homes Mrs. Hutchinson and her late husband walked to Woburn each day to attend the Warren Academy and obtain the education so useful in that later life which has just closed so grandly.—COM.

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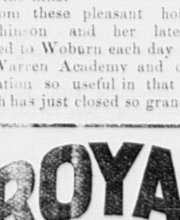

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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1887.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparro Horton, 195 Main Street, C. R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samue E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ The Board of Commissioners as well as the railroads are meeting with many and serious obstacles in the way of executing the interstate commerce law, the provisions of which appear to be susceptible of as many different interpretations as there are interests affected by it. The first snag struck was the long and short haul feature of it, the operation of which the Board suspended for thirty or sixty days in order to find out its meaning if possible and see if it is capable of being enforced. After this other obstacles were met with and others still are coming up at nearly every step, and so many and great are the difficulties that will attend its execution that many business men have expressed the opinion that the law will fall to pieces and come to naught.

☞ It would be a good thing if the Massachusetts Legislature could be induced to hurry up and finish the bill which when enacted into law will limit the number of licenses to sell intoxicating liquors in towns and cities which vote to grant them to one to every 500 inhabitants so that it may receive the Governor's approving signature before the 1st of May, when old licenses expire and new ones are granted. Although this town could not be affected one way or the other this year by such a law there are many others that would be and they should not be deprived of its beneficial provisions any longer than is necessary. But the Massachusetts Legislature is a slow old coach and there is no telling when this or any other bill will be passed by it, if ever.

☞ For some weeks past everything has been so quiet on Beacon Hill and the papers have been so silent about it that if one lacked positive knowledge on the subject it would be thought no Legislature was in session at the present time in Boston. It is not easy to call to mind a Legislature that has attracted so little attention and called forth less talk, which is complimentary to it or not just according to the point of view from which it is looked at. Different people will entertain different opinions respecting the character of our present law-makers, but it is probable that quite a majority will decide that they are not a body of very great men.

☞ The *Record* is making a gallant fight almost single-handed and alone against corruption in high official places in Boston. It is not a giant in physical stature, but it has never been whipped so they say, and the idea prevails that it can't be by any of the dishonest gang of Boston officials when it gets after them good and hot. It is just now giving them particular jesse on water metres, with a large stock of other kinds of metres and things in reserve for future use.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

T. I. Reed—Hams.
W. E. Carter—Polo.
T. H. Cahill—Harris.
Pinafore Co.—Pinafore.
Z. W. Atwood—Found.
G. F. Barton—For Sale.
E. F. Johnson—Citation.
S. R. Niles—Boston Globe.
L. H. Allen—Eggs for Sale.
C. E. Marion—Pigs for Sale.
Grammer—Manure For Sale.
Mrs. J. H. Parker—Opening.
Bd of Trade—Annual Meeting.
P. O. Box, 26, N. W.—For Sale.
J. C. Buck—Old Folks Concert.
T. H. Cahill—A New Departure.
Town of Woburn—Dog Licenses.
Bd. of Trade—Change in Constitution.
Town of Woburn—Fire Dep't Notice.
Winchester Savings Bank—Annual Meeting.

— See notice of Shepherd dog found.

— Mr. C. E. Marion of Burlington has pigs to sell.

— Col. and S. A. Grammer offer manure for sale.

— Last Monday the Woburn public schools resumed work.

— Those who use Reed's Burlington hams prefer them to any other.

— "M" of No. Woburn wants to sell a cottage in that village. See ad.

— The Winchester Savings Bank has a notice for annual meeting in this paper.

— Mr. Houghton Allen offers hens' eggs for hatching—best breeds at low prices.

— Particular attention is directed to the card of Mrs. C. A. Pierce in this paper.

— Pinafore is to be given in Lyceum Hall next Monday evening and everybody ought to go.

— Mr. Charles H. Barnes, 512 Washington street, Boston, makes a change in his advertisement this week.

— Pussy-willows have blossomed out on our streets in all their glory. Another harbinger of gentle spring.

— Try one of Reed's Burlington hams. They make a fine relish.

— For downright disagreeable weather and backwardness modern history can't show a parallel to this spring of 1887.

— Young men should not fail to look over the stylish suits and overcoats displayed at Hammond's clothing house.

— Mr. J. M. Ford has opened a hotel on Bennett street and named it the Woburn Hotel where he will be glad to receive a fair share of the public travel.

— Messrs. John Connally & Son, boot and shoe dealers on Main street, have sold their business to some Boston parties.

— Mr. Ex-Secretary Wilmot of the Woburn Y. M. C. A. has been spending a week or two here among his many good friends.

— At the last meeting of the First Woburn C. L. S. C., Rev. Mr. Wright gave a very interesting address on the manufacture of paper.

— Take time by the forelock and send your Manilla hat to Hammond's clothing house and have it put in stylish shape, ready for hot weather.

— The Business Committee of the Board of Trade has been called to attend an important meeting this evening by its Chairman, Mr. F. H. Lewis.

— G. F. Barton of Montvale offers some carriages and a bicycle for sale in our business columns to-day. Some firstclass bargains can be had of him.

— The infant found in Horn Pond last week was murdered before being thrown into the water. Investigation resulted in finding no clew to the murderer.

— Miss Nellie E. Platts is preparing to give a piano concert next month assisted by a Boston singer of note probably, and Mr. F. H. Lewis on the piano.

— It is important that everybody should bear in mind that next Tuesday is the 112th anniversary of the Battle of Lexington. Let the American flag float that day.

— "The Musical Herald" for April is well filled with new music, fresh editorials, sparkling musical gossip and views. It is published by the Musical Herald Co., Boston.

— Hugh Billingsly committed suicide by drowning in Frog Pond on the east side last week. He was of unsound mind having attempted suicide by taking poison last week.

— The most stirring address delivered before the Reform Club for Sundays was that by the Rev. M. E. Wright of Woburn last Sunday afternoon—*Winchester Star*.

— C. A. Smith & Son are enjoying an excellent trade in carpets this spring. People have found out that they can do just as well at Smith's as in Boston, and better in some lines.

— The sober people of Stoneham are very well pleased with the Woburn vote on the license question. That nuisance near their cemetery will not have to be endured this year.

— Last week the Board of Cemetery Commissioners organized for the year in the following manner: for Chairman, Judge P. L. Converse; Secretary, John Ferguson; Superintendent, L. L. Whitney.

— Capt. George M. Buchanan and family have moved to Revere where they have secured a pleasant home and are nicely situated. The Captain moved there because it is handier to to his business in Boston.

— At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen held last Wednesday evening the bond of Edward F. Johnson, Town Treasurer, and those of Thomas Mulkeen and Edward Simonds, as Constables, were duly approved.

— The next meeting of the Burbank Relief Corps, No. 84, will be held in G. A. R. Hall next Friday evening, April 22, at 7.30 o'clock. It is a very flourishing Corps, and had a large presentation of silver at their last meeting.

— The Board of Selectmen will make a beginning on the more important official appointments next Tuesday evening, and only a beginning because the meeting will probably have to give way to the adjourned Town Meeting.

— Mrs. Parker gives notice of a spring millinery opening in this issue of the JOURNAL. She always has something very nice and stylish to show the ladies in the line of bonnets, hats, trimmings, etc. at these semi-annual openings.

— On Monday a burning chimney sent the firemen down Main street and they hadn't much more than got back to quarters before an alarm at Montvale summoned them over there to put out a brush blaze. No particular damage was done in either case.

— Mr. Harry Gould was thrown from his carriage while riding in Malden last week and considerably hurt. The wheels of his carriage caught in a rail of the street railroad which resulted in wrecking the vehicle and injuring Mr. Gould so much that he had to be fetched home in a hack.

— Mr. Richard Terrett will learn early next week, by keeping his ear close to the ground, that it is very unsafe to put his trust in princes. He can't begin to make connections on the Chief of Police berth promised him. A man of an entirely different complexion is going to have that "fat take."

— Last Monday morning Mrs. S. T. Converse and her daughter Bertha of Sherman Place sent the editor a box of genuine 1887 maple sugar which was made at West Campton, N. H., where they spent last Summer so pleasantly. It was very nice—not much like "store" sap-sugar—for which we return our thanks.

— Last Wednesday evening Carter's stalwart Tanners beat the Witches of Salem out of their boots at Carter's popular Academy. The Tanners can secure third place in the League just as easy as eating custard pie. Now, go in to win, boys. Will Col. O. J. Hart please to see to it that the boys go in to win and greatly oblige, etc.?

— All the ladies in New England will be interested in the announcement that the subject of "moving house" will be treated on by Mr. James W. Clarke in the next Boston *Sunday Globe*. It will be illustrated and full of bright hits. The Boston *Sunday Globe* is still gaining and leads the Boston *Sunday Herald* by 30,000.

— Base ball enthusiasts are filling the air with praises of the splendid reports of the Bostons' games which the Boston *Globe* is giving. *The Globe* was the only paper in the country which sent a special reporter with the team on its Southern trip. Lovers of the national game cannot afford to miss the Boston *Daily* and *Sunday Globe*.

— One of the most generous and praiseworthy things about the great Fair for the Home of Aged Women last week was the present to the Congregational table of a check for $50 by Mr. William M. Miller. The handsome present was gratefully received and duly appreciated by the people of the Fair and for it Mr. Miller received, as he well deserved, hearty thanks.

— Mr. John Maxwell, whose tannery in Winchester was destroyed by fire a couple of weeks ago, presented the Woburn Fire Department with a check for $50 for the excellent services rendered our boys at the fire. It was a very generous thing in Mr. Maxwell, but then he is not one of your dry old sticks that don't know what a generous impulse or act means. He can appreciate one.

— The St. Charles Total Abstinence Society gave their annual Easter Ball in Lyceum Hall last Monday evening and it was one of the best they have ever had. There was a large attendance, good music was furnished by the National Band Orchestra, and everything passed off in the most pleasant manner. Dancing was kept up until well towards sunrise on Tuesday morning.

— The net proceeds of the Fair held in aid of the Woburn Home for Aged Women last week were just about $1550. That figure is full $500 larger than the most hopeful and least cautious in figures calculated it would be and so there is rejoicing among the Trustee of the institution. It was a very large thing to accomplish in a two-days Fair—$1,550 was.

— Mr. N. J. Simonds will put in about 30 lamps to light the streets under the contract to be made with the town. These will cover the territory where gas is now used and a little more. His present plant has a 36-lamp capacity so we have heard, therefore he is entirely prepared to go ahead and give the town electric lights as soon as he and the Selectmen come to an arrangement.

— Mr. E. P. Marion made a note of a snow storm that occurred on April 2 and 3, 1861, when two feet of snow fell. Fast day came on the 4th, and on that day he and several members of the Marion family rode to the Howard Atheneum in Boston on a sled drawn by six horses, attended the play, and came home in the evening. There has been no such a snowfall since at so late a period in the spring here.

— It was hot enough last Sunday and Monday forenoon. The thermometers recorded 80 degrees in the shade all of Sunday up to 4 P. M., and the next forenoon was nearly as warm. Monday evening however the wind changed and there was a remarkable fall of mercury in thermometers for a few hours. Taken all together the changes were about as sudden and radical as anyone would wish to see and seldom does.

— Mr. Charles Richardson, an employee of the B. & L. RR. Co. in the railroad yards here, was caught between two bark cars at Green street last Monday and very severely injured. A car had become derailed and while trying to uncouple it from another the forward cars backed down and Richardson was caught. Some of his ribs were found to be broken by the doctor and it was feared he had sustained dangerous internal injuries. He was taken to his home on High street.

— We recommend the following suggestion of the Boston *Record* to the careful consideration of the authorities of this town: The town of Melrose has been benefited so much by its tremendous vote against license in March, in the way of increasing demand for houses and lots, that the *Record* suggests, as a mere matter of business, that other towns and cities in the vicinity of Boston which want sober, industrious people to move in as citizens, put in their vote on the license question as emphatically as did Melrose.

— Mr. Chapman, the inventor of the well-known "Chapman Valve" will appear before the Board of Trade this evening, by invitation, to talk business. Several of our citizens are becoming interested in this matter and Mr. L. B. Russell of Lynn, member of the Woburn Board of Trade, has great confidence in the valve. For $25,000, and perhaps less, the manufacture of the valve may be secured for this place, and as it is a staple—old corn, so to speak—it will be strange if the capital is not immediately forthcoming and the industry established here.

— Gentle spring has come to stay for the rest of the season we should say, judging from the appearance of things. Several flocks of its harbingers have been seen sitting on the fences about here and singing spring songs of late, and the evening piping of the musical frog may be confidently expected at any moment. There is a wave of mellowness in the air felt once in a while which is a sure forerunner of summer sunshine and warmth, and besides all that it is time for opening bud, blooming flowers, green grass, tender leaves, whippoorwills' songs and things, anyhow. And we say let her come.

— Easter was appropriately observed last Sabbath at the Methodist Church. Rev. M. E. Wright gave one of his finest discourses full of practical suggestions and lessons to be drawn from the Resurrection. A profusion of potted plants tasefully arranged about the pulpit gave it a very attractive appearance. The music was rendered by an enlarged choir under the direction of Mr. S. F. Corbett. Gounod's "Send out Thy Light" was the opening anthem given in a manner that reflected much credit on the director. Miss Mabel E. Cutler sang Holden's "Risen Lord" with much taste and expression. Her voice is clear and strong and well adapted to leading a chorus choir, or for general solo work.—X.

— Mr. W. R. Putnam, the regular candidate on the Republican ticket for Selectman, got more than 78 votes at the Town Meeting as we stated it last week. His vote was 781 and he ought to have had enough to elect him, for he is one of our best citizens. The fact is he is a little too clean, upright and square to get the most support—in other words, Mr. Putnam is too pronounced on the temperance question to be popular with certain classes who are stronger at the polls than are the classes who would like to see him elected to responsible town office. But Mr. Putnam polled a large vote and it was by mistake that the JOURNAL did not give him full credit for his good running qualities in its report of the Town Meeting.

— The polo season is drawing to a close at Carter's Skating Academy, the League series of games being nearly wound up. Mr. Carter has had a good run at his rink during the winter and spring and polo there has been well patronized. It has become now a standard game like baseball and requires no more experimenting to see whether it is going to stand alone or not. It is said that Mr. Carter will probably engage several members of his present team for next season. It is a good team and contains some players that are better than any others in the League. Although they missed the pennant the Tanners have been doing excellent work of late, and shown that they have skill and muscle. In the two or three games yet to be played at the Academy and some elsewhere it may be that they will crawl closer to the top of the ladder than they are now. Mr. Carter has proved a good manager during the season and maintained his reputation for courtesy, fair-dealing, and gentlemanly conduct of his rink.

— The Old Folks Concert, which is advertised in the JOURNAL this week, is going to be the biggest musical hit of the season. The managers have been some time in getting it up, first, because the very best singing talent in Middlesex county couldn't be secured in a minute or a week; and second, because the rehearsals, which have been very thorough, must have a month given to them to say the least. At last the great company are all ready for the pitch and when they get it by Chorister Buck's tuning-fork, and the anthems, hymns, songs, fuges and chants have been all got through with everybody will say it was the finest music they ever heard in Woburn. The Cambridge Orchestra is the best, or certainly one of the best, that travels. See what a lot of pieces there are! Now, it is absolutely true that to listen to this splendid and very popular Orchestra just for the one evening of the great concert by the musical Old Folks of the town will be worth five times the price of admission. Better read all about it in the notice.

Adjourned Town Meeting.

Last Tuesday evening an adjourned meeting of the voters of the town was held at Lyceum Hall for the purpose of making appropriations, acting on reports of the Selectmen, and disposing of other business passed over at the first meeting held a week ago last Monday. It was a large and very orderly one. A good deal of interest was felt in several matters which were there to be acted on, notably the reports of the late Board of Selectmen favorable to laying out streets at and near Central Square on the petitions of Charles C. Hart and others and R. B. Eaton and others. It had been given out that acceptance and adoption of them would be stoutly resisted which, coming to the ears of the friends of the measures, caused solid work to be put in that had considerable to do with the extraordinary size of the meeting. The reports were adopted by decisive majorities, the streets will be built, and a large amount of excellent residence real estate brought into the market. All of which was for the best interests of the town.

Under Art. 23 there was a very hot fight, principally participated in by "Dick" Terrett who, it was alleged, had been employed by the Gaslight Co. to champion their cause, and David Moreland, the ablest representative the laboring classes of this town have, who opposed Terrett and advocated electricity. What Terrett said on the subject amounted to nothing one way or the other, but Moreland's speech in favor of Lawyer Allen's amendment to the report of the committee of 15 on appropriations, etc., was a rouser—yes, that's the word, a rouser, for it aroused sympathy to the highest pitch in favor of Simonds and electricity, and an almost solid opposition to Dr. Harlow and gas. He put in tremendous blows straight from the shoulder, wrought up the meeting to the highest pitch of interest and enthusiasm, buried Terrett and his cause out of sight, and carried the day for electricity overwhelmingly. Moreland's oratory has more influence on the masses than the talk and speeches of any other man in town. He is a free-tongued, quick-witted, earnest-spoken, honest young Irishman who has already made his mark in debate and gives promise of better things still. He had the audience with him all the way as was shown by the frequent and boisterous applause, so when Hon. B. F. Whittemore got up and moved another amendment which would greatly strengthen the cause of electricity and supported it with a stirring speech, the crowd were in just the right humor for the motion and on the call for a vote less than half a dozen voted in the interest of the Gas Co., and 500 for Simonds and his electric lights. It was a great triumph for Moreland and square deal between man and man.

Other questions elicited warm debate. "Dick" Terrett's scheme for barring out poor men from work on the streets by passing an iron-clad rule as to wages to be paid was wrongfully carried. A good deal of money was voted to carry on the town with, and finally much important business was transacted. In the first part of the meeting it was voted to instruct the Assessors to take a census of the town when they make the assessment for taxes this summer. Under Art. 5 it was voted that the Selectmen appoint the proper number of measurers of wood and bark and such other officers as may be appointed in conformity to law.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to consider the recommendation for appropriations for 1887-8 and any other articles which may be referred to them, or do anything in relation to the same.

The Committee of Fifteen appointed at last meeting made report which was accepted and its recommendations adopted except in two cases.

ARTICLE 7. To hear and act on the reports of the Auditors, Selectmen, School Committee, Library Trustees, Cemetery Commissioners, Water Commissioners, Sinking Fund Commissioners, Chief of Fire Department, Chief of Police, and Town Clerk, for the year ending February 28, 1887.

Voted to accept as printed.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will authorize their Treasurer, under the direction of the Selectmen, to hire money in anticipation of taxes to be assessed and collected.

Voted to authorize in conformity with the article.

ARTICLE 9. To determine what amount of money the town will raise and appropriate for the support of the poor; for highways, bridges and sidewalks; for new roads; for the support of schools and for school purposes; Fire Department; Library; Town officers; interest on Town and Water Debt; Sinking Funds; Street Lights; Police; Health, and all other necessary appropriations.

Under this Art. it was voted to raise by taxation and appropriate the same with unexpended balances the following sums:

		Balance.
SCHOOLS.		
Teaching care of rooms and fuel,	$32,000	$1,386 79
Incidentals,	1,000	153 81
Repairs of buildings,	2,250	
Text-books,	2,000	23,45
Evening schools,	600	134 85
Drawing		132 89
GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		
Health,	500	14 28
Highways, Bridges and Sidewalks,	15,000	116 16
New Roads,	2,500	60 6
Fire Department,	9,500	6 16
" " unpaid bills,	1,800	
" " new box, Montvale Avenue and Vernon St.,	125	
Hydrant Service,	7,250	
Almshouse,	4,750	78
Outside Relief,	6,000	
Police,	7,000	270 52
Street Lights,	4,500	414 80
Town Library, (dog tax and)	1,700	
Printing,	550	3 48
Payment of Town officers,	6,100	
Interest on Town debt,	9,000	190 72
" " Water bonds,	2,600	143 87
Miscellaneous,	1,000	
LOANS AND FUNDS.		
Water Loan Sinking Fund 1 per cent of debt,	5,703 37	
" " 1879, 8 per cent and Int.,	1,957 50	
" " 1880, 8 " " "	1,962 50	
" " 1881, 8 " " "	1,850 00	
Municipal Loan, 1871-2, 8 per cent and interest,	1,200 00	
" " 1883-4, 10 per cent	4,000 00	
" " 1886, 10 per cent	1,250 00	
Water 1886, 10 per cent	2,100 00	
Municipal Loan, 1887, 1-9	6,266 67	
Water Works construction,	1,500 00	565 57
" expenses,		810 56

ARTICLE 10. To see what disposition the Town will make with the money to be received from the County for dog licenses.

Voted to appropriate the same for the use of the Town Library.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept the list of persons qualified to serve as Jurors, as revised and submitted by the Selectmen, or do anything in relation to the same.

After striking off a few names by request the list was adopted.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will provide for the payment of notes, amounting to $56,400, becoming due, $25,000 May 1, $1,400 July 1, and $30,000 July 2, 1887, fund same under provisions of Chapter 133, Acts of 1882, or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted to authorize the Treasurer under the direction of the Selectmen to hire the sum of $56,400 at a rate of interest not exceeding 4 per cent for the purpose of paying the notes coming due.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will provide for the payment of $22,500, known as the Norman claim, due May 1, 1887, authorize the renewal of the loan for the legal limit, 1907, or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted to pay the Norman claim of $22,500 at maturity, from the Sinking Fund.

ARTICLE 14. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the observance of "Memorial Day," and how the same shall be expended, or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted to raise and appropriate $300. The same to be expended by a Joint Committee of Posts 33 and 161.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to pay State Aid to volunteers, or their dependents, under the direction of the Selectmen.

Voted to authorize.

ARTICLE 16. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a street running southerly from Pond street, and easterly to Main street, as a public town way.

ARTICLE 17. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a street from New Boston street to Main street as a public town way.

ARTICLE 18. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a street running southerly from Hudson street as a public town way.

ARTICLE 19. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a street from Pleasant street to Morse street as a public town way.

ARTICLE 20. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on widening of Pine street.

ARTICLE 21. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out an extension of Mt. Pleasant street, running southerly from South street as a public town way.

ARTICLE 22. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a street from Wyman street to Kilby street as a public town way.

The reports of the Selectmen on the several streets referred to in articles from 16 to 22 inclusive; after being read by the Clerk, were accepted.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will take any action looking to the lighting of the centre or business portion of the centre of the town by electric lights, authorize an agreement for lighting same for a term of years, or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted to instruct the Selectmen to contract for lighting the business centre of the town for a term of three years.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to pay a sum of money to G. R. Gage amounting to $74.00 paid by him or allowed by parties in procuring money for the town, or do anything in relation to the same.

Referred to the Selectmen with full powers.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to refund to Owen Kerrigan the sum of $432.72 paid by him in defending himself in a suit, Kenney vs. Kerrigan, growing out of enforcement of a Town By-Law, or do anything in relation to the same.

Referred to the Selectmen with full powers.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will choose a committee to carefully investigate the present source of water supply and tributaries looking to its development, also to suggest any means of storage of water and recommend any action they may think for the town's advantage anticipating an increased demand for water.

Voted that a committee of seven of which the Chairman of the Water Commissioners shall be one, be appointed by the Moderator, to consider the matter contained in the article.

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to lay water main on School street to New Boston street, or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted to raise and appropriate $1,200 for the above purpose.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to extend the water main from Bedford street on Winn street to Burlington line or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted to raise and appropriate $1,600 for the purpose named in the article.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to instruct its Highway Committee to pay $2.00 per day to all men except mechanics, who labor on the highways in the said Town of Woburn, and that said committee be also instructed not to let out by contract any work or labor appertaining to their office.

Mr. Mark Allen moved that article 38 relating to the matter of contracts be taken up and acted upon conjointly with article 29.

The Moderator ruled that the two articles could not be acted upon together.

Mr. Allen then moved that the matter be referred to the Selectmen.

After some remarks by Mr. Allen and Mr. Moreland on the question at issue and Mr. Terrett on the dimensions of the Woburn *Advertiser* etc., Mr. Terrett offered a substitute motion which embodied the subject of the article in question; this was carried by a small vote.

At this point with 14 articles remaining to be acted upon, the meeting adjourned until next Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

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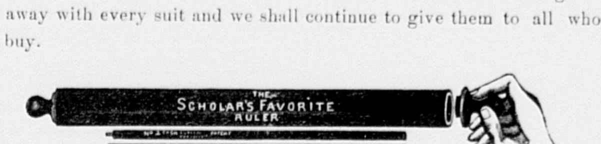

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The new concern of Young & Glass, at 119 Washington St., Boston, are young men well known in business circles. Mr. John Young was formerly proprietor of the N. Y. Shade & Roller Co. at 13 Tremont Row. Mr. James A. Glass has been for four years with the house of Webster Folger & Co., 41 Washington St. Young & Glass make a specialty of Interior decorations, Draperies, Artistic paper hangings and Window shades. The new store is one of the handsomest in Boston, while the quantity and quality of the stock is superior to that of any house in the city. Both are active young men with plenty of push, and we take this opportunity to wish them success.

Condition of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank at the close of business March 31, 1887.

LIABILITIES.	
Deposits,	$878,691 67
Guarantee Fund,	11,077 85
Profit and Loss,	16,901 01
	$906,670 53
RESOURCES.	
Loans on Real Estate,	$450,921 00
Loans on Personal Security,	155,078 00
Loans to Towns,	16,612 80
National Bank Stock,	210,830 00
Railroad Bonds,	39,500 00
Public Funds,	20,000 00
Real Estate by Foreclosure,	4,545 30
Cash on hand and deposited,	9,183 43
	$906,670 53
Number of open accounts,	3,741

E. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

Woburn, April 2, 1887.

The importance of purifying the blood cannot be overestimated, for without pure blood you cannot enjoy good health.

At this season nearly every one needs a good medicine to purify, vitalize, and enrich the blood, and we ask you to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. It strengthens and builds up the system, creates an appetite, and tones the digestion, while it eradicates disease. The peculiar combination, proportion, and preparation of the vegetable remedies used give to Hood's Sarsaparilla peculiar curative powers. No other medicine has such a record of wonderful cures. If you have made up your mind to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to take any other instead. It is a Peculiar Medicine, and is worthy your confidence.

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100 Doses One Dollar

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The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. W. Hill.

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All kinds reliable. At

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165 Main Street.

Married.

In Woburn, April 11, by Rev. J. Quealy, Thomas Harkins and Mary A. Foley, both of Woburn.

In Woburn, April 12, by Rev. J. Quealy, Patrick Foley and Margaret Cullen, both of Woburn.

In Woburn, April 13, by Rev. J. Quealy, John McDermott and Delia McMahon, both of Woburn.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, April 12, Laura J. Felch, aged 37 yrs., 4 months, 18 days.

In Burlington, April 6, George Bennett, aged 72 years, 3 months.

In Winchester, April 7, Hugh Billingsby, aged 51 years.

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We carry a Stock of

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Builders Hardware, Fancy Hardware, Brittania and Plated Ware, Kitchen Ware, Tin and Wooden Ware. Farmers and Mechanics Tools.

FINE CUTLERY.

Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, Glue, Rosin, Nails, Screws, Zinc, Emery, Glass and Putty, Powder and Shot, Steel and Iron bars, Picks, Shovels, Wheelbarrows, Carpet Sweepers, Clothes Wringers, etc., etc.

1001

things in stock which we have not room to display, but are quickly shown up when called for.

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TIN ROOFING, FURNACE WORK, JOBBING of all kinds and descriptions done promptly and satisfactory.

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Good Fur Stiff Hats at $1.50, $2,00, $2.50.
Also a very fine line NEW SPRING OVERCOATS.

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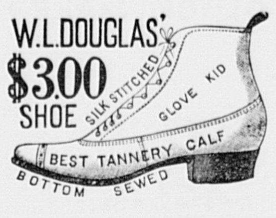

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Best $2.50 MEN'S CALF shoes in the market, 4, 5, 6, 7 wide—Button, Congress and Lace.

Same in Boys sizes at $2 00.

Splendid Variety of Men's fine VEAL CALF shoes. 4, 5, 6 wide: Button, Congress and Lace, Box-toes and plain, warranted in every particular, $2.00

Smith's French Kid Button Boots, $3.00 and $3.50, S, M, F, FF, W wide. Smith's American Kid, $2 50. Phelan's Kid and Goat boots, C, D, E, $2.00.

All kinds of REPAIRS done at Moderate prices: front and back stays stitched on Ladies fine Kid Boots: also New gorings put into all kinds of shoes.

AT LEATHE'S buy your shoes for all kinds of weather;
He has them all made from good solid leather;
Please remember 201 Main is the street;
Buy your shoes there and you'll never get beat.

WINCHESTER.

Miss Josie Furbush is the new clerk at the postoffice.

The "Misticke" Canoe Club are talking of building a new boat house this season.

The Wedgemere Tennis Club now ask $10 of well-recommended people who desire to share its sports and privileges. Good price!

The grocers turned over a new leaf last week and now close their places of business at 6 o'clock every secular evening in the week except Friday and Saturday.

Your Uncle Nat Richardson has gone right to work on the highways just as though nothing had happened. He knows what wants to be done to make a good piece of road as soon as he drops his eye on it.

On the afternoon and evening of Thursday, April 21, the ladies connected with the Episcopal Church of the Epiphany will hold a kirmess in Harmony Hall. The hall will be handsomely decorated. There will be booths of all nations, where can be bought many attractive articles, and it is expected that there will be dancing some time during the evening.

Rev. Mr. Fielden thinks that if our genial friend Mr. George W. Spurr continues to increase in popularity much more it won't be long before the town will have only one man to elect on Town Meeting day and that will be George W. Spurr. He is already Town Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collector, and it looks as though he might be able to gobble up the rest of the offices by next year. But the people like to honor him by electing him to posts of trust and responsibility.

The Winchester correspondent of the Boston *Traveller* intimates that shenanagan was played in the caucus before Town Meeting and that it compassed the defeat of Mr. S. W. Twombly. I guess there isn't much doubt of it, although the principal cause of his defeat was the over-confidence of his friends. Had they wisely taken into account the possibility of a considerable opposition to him in the caucus he would have been nominated by a vote of 2 to 1; but they didn't dream but that it was all plain sailing and so the few opponents of Mr. Twombly slyly slipped in, found his guard asleep at their posts, and beat him. That's about the size of it. They beat a mighty good man for the town too when they beat Twombly.

There were beautiful and interesting Easter services in nearly or quite all of the churches in this town last Sunday to enjoy which there were large congregations at each. A deal of preparation for the production of appropriate Easter music was made and the result was that our people never had the privilege of listening to better. At the Congregational church there was a Sunday school concert in the evening which a whole house full of people enjoyed very much. There was a grand display of lillies and other beautiful flowers, and so indeed there was at the Easter preaching and singing services in the morning. The fine church looked fresh, sweet and springlike and Mr. Seymour treated his audience to an excellent Easter sermon. At the Unitarian church too there were special Easter services both as to sermon and music. Here too flowers in profusion, the lily conspicuous above all, were seen, and so also at the Episcopal, Roman Catholic and Methodist churches. Appropriate services were held in each and all of them, and in all they were very interesting.

"We Dig

Our graves with our teeth" is a trite but true saying. CHIPMAN'S PILLS relieve indigestion and cure contingent disorders, such as sick headache, biliousness, etc. They are purely vegetable; mild and pleasant in their action, Try them. For sale by all druggists.

BURLINGTON.

The spring term of the schools began Monday.

The almshouse is having a new coat of paint.

Mr. James Chambers has had a new barn built on his place.

Easter was observed at the church Sunday morning with a sermon by the pastor and other appropriate services. The floral decorations were very well arranged.

Mr. George Bennett who died April 6, was one of the oldest and best known of our citizens. His funeral services were attended by Rev. Charles Anderson, at his late residence, Friday afternoon. His family have the sympathy of the community in this affliction.

That tired feeling and loss of appetite are entirely overcome by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the peculiar medicine. Try it and see.

"Pinafore."

A good audience assembled at City Hall on Monday evening to witness the revival of Gilbert and Sullivan's favorite opera, "H. M. S. Pinafore." The presentation of this charming work by the talented Boston Pinafore Co. was most enjoyable, the choruses being sung with much spirit and the solos with correctness and intelligence. There were no tiresome "waits" and so smoothly and promptly did everything go that the audience seemed surprised when the curtain fell after the closing chours. The soloists all made a good impression, Mr. Ed. P. Smith, as "Dead-eye" wining the major share of applause. Mr. Henry Whyte as "Capt. Corcoran" and Miss Helena Olafsen as "Hebe" were excellent. The part of Sir Joseph Porter" and "Josephine" were well acted, Miss Susie Fulton in the latter character doing her best work in the second act. Taken as a whole, we should say that this company, both soloists and chorus were bound to give a pleasing entertainment, wherever they appear.—*Cape Ann Breeze.*

This well known Company will give "Pinafore" at Lyceum Hall on next Monday evening. For particulars see card in this issue of the JOURNAL.

Nothing but the purest tallow of New England refining, treated with harmless Chemicals used. Use J. C. DAVIS' Old Soap.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; short sermon followed by prayer meeting at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening Young Peoples' meeting.

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Unusually large stock of New Styles in DRESS GOODS and STRIPED VELVETS.

All the new styles in HATS, BONNETS and MILLINERY at the Old and Reliable Millinery Stand.

WINDOW CURTAINS ready for use at 35 and 50 cents.

Adjourned Meeting of the Rumford Historical Association.

At the adjourned meeting of the R. H. Association held in the Vestry of the North Congregational Church on the evening of the 8th inst., a goodly number of very attentive and deeply interested hearers listened to the promised Historical Paper from Mr. William R. Cutter. It was on the "Sources of Woburn History," and the reading occupied about forty-five minutes. It was full of seed-thoughts and valuable suggestions. One, in listening, could hardly fail to regret that we have rescued from threatened oblivion so little of the early history of our ancient town, and hardly fail, at the same time, to rejoice that we have gleaned and are gleaning so much. Not many country towns have had a richer history, and not many men have done more to gather out its materials from the rubbish of the forgotten past than Mr. Cutter. The utter loss of the records of the old First Church, for more than one hundred years of its existence, and the loss of the early records of many of our ancient towns, are enough to suggest what it would be to Woburn to lose, by fire or otherwise, the very valuable early records of this town. It is unaccountably strange that we have slept so long and so profoundly over this danger. This long continued slumber on the part of the many rendered Mr. Cutter's announcement all the more grateful to the few more wakeful ones, that the Johnson brothers of Woburn have already begun the work of transcribing the old records with a view to ultimately multiplying copies by printing. All hail! Success to them. They will deserve it. And who so appropriately and so well as they could decypher the often obscure hand-writing and quaint language of their ancestor, Capt. Edward Johnson, the first Town Clerk, whose faithful records extend through many years down to the time of his death in 1672. By all means, let the good work go on to completion. And by all means let others carry on a similar work in transcriptions of later records. Many towns are attending to this long neglected and imperious business. Why should not the richly historic town of Woburn do it also?

At the conclusion of Mr. Cutter's valuable paper, an elegant and costly Photograph Album was presented to the Association by Leonard Thompson, Esq. It is intended contain one hundred Cabinet photographs of the officers and members of the Association, a collection of which is already fairly begun. It is proposed also to make a collection of photographs of other friends of the Association, of the original founders of the Rumford Library, and of old citizens. A good beginning has also been made in this collection. A large, framed and very fine picture of the late Col. M. F. Winn was contributed by his widow, and will appropriately appear at the head of the list.

Another object of rare interest was contributed as a memorial of the old Elm which Samuel Thompson, Esq., set out before his house in the Spring of 1765, one hundred and twenty-two years ago, and ten years before the Battle of Lexington. It became so clearly necessary to cut it down during the past year, that the work was intrusted in September to Mr. Leonard Harris. A tree, 23 feet in circumference, very lofty and overhanging a dwelling house, must not be laid low by a careless woodman, and fortunately, the experience of Mr. Harris in such enterprises, justified the expectation that the work would be safely done. A small section of a limb thirty feet high was such a curiosity even in the rough, that it was presented to the Association by Mr. Harris, and subsequently turned into the form of an ordinary stone jar, though solid. This, in the hands of Mr. Marshall Tidd, who seems able to make even solid wood by his magic touch, soon became a hollow jar with lid and handles. The layers and fibres of the wood are a marvel for the odd and fantastic shapes into which they are twisted, one of which is an exact outline of the head and shoulders of a dog couchant. Polish and shellac have brought these strange figures out so clearly that the jar is not only a memorial of a rare old historic tree, but a really beautiful object in itself. L. T.

North Woburn, April 11, 1887.

Easter Services.

Beyond the customary manner of observing Easter very little was done by the Woburn churches worthy of special mention that we know of. Among Christian people there pervaded a spirit of joy because they know "The Lord is risen indeed," and rejoice that "now is Christ risen from the dead and became the first fruits of them that slept," but otherwise there was not much to be seen different from the usual run of things.

At St. Charles (Catholic) there was solemn High Mass at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, excellent music appropriate to the day, and a profusion of flowers tasefully arranged around the large audience room of the church. There was a Sunday School concert at the Congregational church in the evening in which quite a good many of the pupils in the primary department took part. These exercises were well conducted by the Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent. The music was furnished by the children and a great chorus choir conducted by Mr. John C. Buck, the organist. The meetinghouse was filled with quite a large audience all day and especially in the evening. The religious exercises by Dr. March were adapted to the day and occasion.

At the Unitarian church there were special Easter services and a Sunday School concert in the evening. So also at the Baptist and Methodist churches were appropriate sermons preached, music furnished, and exercises held. There were beautiful and fragrant Easter lillies in all the churches and they were greatly enjoyed by the worshipers in the different places it is fair to presume.

On Monday evening there was an Easter ball or two in town, and that was about all.

The Banquet.

A programme for the second annual banquet of the Woburn Board of Trade has been arranged by the committee having the matter in charge and it need not be here affirmed that it is a fine one. It was a good committee to handle the subject and the members have discharged their duties and acquitted themselves in a manner that the Board will, we doubt not, heartily approve when a full report of the undertaking is submitted to their inspection and consideration.

The banquet will be given on Thursday evening, April 21, and has been arranged in this order: at 6.30 there will be a reception at the Rooms of the Board in Bank Block; at 7.30 supper will be laid on the tables by Tufts, the Boston caterer, whose name is a guarantee of an abundance of good things to eat and drink; at 8.30 there will be an entertainment of choice music, short speeches, and other pleasing things. The music will be by the famous Mendelssohn Male Quartet of Boston.

There are to be a good many invited guests, among them Governor Ames and Lieut. Governor Brackett, steam and street railroad officials, clergymen, and many others, by several of whom after-dinner speeches will be made.

There is every reason to believe the annual reception and banquet will be a brilliant society affair and a pleasant occasion for all who may attend it. The invitations have already been issued by the committee and the programme announced.

When you want Pearline be sure you get what you ask for. The market is full of imitations. The genuine is only manufactured by James Pyle, New York.

The Odd Fellows of New Jersey have bought nine acres of land and an 18-room mansion near Trenton, which are to be used as a home for indigent members of the craft. Every member of the order will be taxed one cent per week for its maintenance.

You've had it:
An Acid Stomach.
You've been annoyed by it:
Heartburn.
What tortures you have suffered from them:
Dyspepsia and Indigestion.
Think of the agony you endured from your last
Sick Headache.
We don't say you are a fool. But you are very foolish not to obtain immediate relief when a little lozenge will furnish it.
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Get a box at any drug store.
They cost only 50 cents, or a trial box for 25 cents, and you will be

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DYSPEPSIA KILLERS
are Doolittle & Smith, 24 and 26 Tremont St., Boston, Mass., and they will mail them to any part of the U. S. on receipt of the price.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Corporators of the Winchester Savings Bank will be held at the Banking Room on Tuesday next April 19, at 7½ o'clock P. M. WM. H. BREWER, Clerk.

Winchester, April.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the WOBURN BOARD OF TRADE for the election of officers will be held at 7.30 o'clock, P. M., on Tuesday, April 19, 1887, at the Rooms of the Board in Bank Block.

HORACE N. CONN, Secretary.

FOR SALE.

Light side bar, Extension-top Carryall: one of the best, built by Wm. P. Sargent, used but little. Also Piano-box, side bar, top Buggy, custom made, second hand, in good order. One Expert Columbia Bicycle, 52 inch, '76 pattern, new.

G. F. BARTON.

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FOR SALE.

On Winter street, North Woburn, cottage house of 7 rooms in good repair, well papered and painted. Barn and 3 acres of land. Apple trees, small fruits and good asparagus bed on the place. Town water n house. Address M, Box 26, North Woburn.

Closing-out Sale of Millinery Goods

At very low prices for the next 30 days. Ladies and Children's Hats and Bonnets, 25 and 50 cents, worth 50 cents and $1.00. A few ready-trimmed Hats and Bonnets, new this season, $2.50 and $3.00. Other goods in proportion.

MRS. C. A. PIERCE,
8 Johnson street, Woburn.

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A stray SHEPHERD DOG with neck-collar without name or padlock, may be found at the residence of Z. W. ATWOOD, 13 Lawrence street, Woburn.

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Eggs for Hatching: Cross of Brown Leghorns and Light Bramah Hens: 15 for a $1.00.

By L. HOUGHTON ALLEN.

Woburn, April, 1887.

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Humors,

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Canker, and

Catarrh,

Can be cured by purifying the blood with

I do not believe that Ayer's Sarsaparilla has an equal as a remedy for Scrofulous Humors. It is pleasant to take, gives strength and vigor to the body, and produces a more permanent, lasting, result than any medicine I ever used.—E. Haines, No. Lindale, O.

I have used Ayer's Sarsaparilla, in my family, for Scrofula, and know, if it is taken faithfully, it will thoroughly eradicate this terrible disease.—W. F. Fowler, M. D., Greenville, Tenn.

For forty years I have suffered with Erysipelas. I have tried all sorts of remedies for my complaint, but found no relief until I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. After taking ten bottles of this medicine I am completely cured. —Mary C. Amesbury, Rockport, Me.

I have suffered, for years, from Catarrh, which was so severe that it destroyed my appetite and weakened my system. After trying other remedies, and getting no relief, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and, in a few months, was cured. —Susan L. Cook, 909 Albany st., Boston Highlands, Mass.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is superior to any blood purifier that I have ever tried. I have taken it for Scrofula, Canker, and Salt-Rheum, and received much benefit from it. It is good, also, for a weak stomach.—Millie Jane Peirce, South Bradford, Mass.

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TOWN OF WOBURN.

OFFICE OF
BOARD OF ENGINEERS,
OF THE
WOBURN FIRE DEPARTMENT.

WOBURN, MASS., April 14, 1887.

Owing to the prevalence of Grass Fires, the Chief Engineer of Fire Department calls attention to Public Statutes.

SECT. 13, CHAP 206. "Whoever is concerned in causing or making a bonfire within ten rods of a house or building shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars or imprisonment not exceeding one month.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

Town Clerk's Office,
APRIL 14, 1887.

Dogs Must Be Licensed

On or before May 1st, or the Owners or Keepers of them will be liable to a fine.

M. S. SEELEY, Town Clerk.

Woburn Board of Trade.

NOTICE of an amendment to the Articles of Association, presented at a meeting of the Board, Wednesday evening, March 30, 1887:

To substitute the words "second Wednesday," for third Tuesday whenever they occur in Article IV, also to add the words "or when ten members shall request the President to do so," after the last sentence of Article IV.

To change Article VIII so it will read as follows:

ARTICLE VIII.

The annual fee for membership of this Association shall be five dollars, to be paid at the time of signing these Articles, and on the same date of each successive year thereafter.

Any member may withdraw from the Association on giving thirty days notice, in writing, to the Secretary of his intention to do so. All persons joining this Association will be considered as Members until he withdraws, is expelled, or dies.

Any member who shall neglect to pay his dues for thirty days after receiving notice that the same is due, shall be reported to the Association by the Executive Committee, and shall be expelled unless satisfactory reasons are given which shall be acceptable to the majority of members present and voting, at any Meeting of the association, and, in such case, interest of one per cent a month shall be paid on the amount due.

Any member who shall have been found guilty of conduct discreditable to the Association, by an investigating Committee appointed by the Association, shall be expelled.

No propositions for amendments to the Constitution shall be entertained by the board except by consent of a majority of those present and voting.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of Sarah S. Marston, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Edward F. Johnson, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of May next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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J. C. BUCK, Timist.

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MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of Rosanna Doherty, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, George Doherty, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

By license of the Probate Court for the County of Middlesex, the subscriber, executor of the will of Eliza A. Q. Stevens, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday, the twenty-third day of April, A. D. 1887, at five o'clock in the afternoon, the house and lot on Pond street, in said Woburn, belonging to the estate of said Eliza A. Q. Stevens, and bounded northerly, by said street, there measuring about seventy-two feet; westerly, on a private street, there measuring about one hundred and fifty feet; southerly, by land formerly of Moses A. Tyler, there measuring about seventy-two feet; and easterly, by land last named, there measuring about one hundred forty-seven and one-half feet.

Said lot will be sold subject to a mortgage of seven hundred dollars, with interest accrued thereon.

$100 will be required of purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.

HENRY CUMMINGS.

EDWARD F. JOHNSON, Attorney.

Woburn, April 6, 1887.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Joshua Seward, of Woburn, in said County, an insane person, now deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, John W. Johnson, the Guardian of said insane person, has presented for allowance the final account of his guardianship:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

MISS E. H. BUELL

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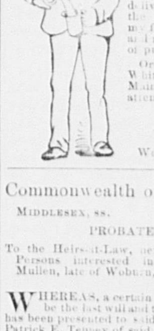

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Woburn, Jan. 18, 1886.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Daniel Mullen, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Patrick E. Tenney of said Woburn, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may issued to him, the executrix named in said will having declined the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

10-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

FOR SALE.

The farm of the late LUTHER A. FOWLE, situated on Lexington street, about one mile west of Woburn Center, containing about NINETY ACRES—thirty acres of wood, the remainder divided into tillage, mowing, and pasture. The land is level, easy to work, very productive and is one of the most valuable and desirable farms in this vicinity, either for market gardening, general farming, stock raising, or dairy. The house is two story; contains nine rooms, and is in good condition. Large new barn, conveniently arranged and has cellar. The celebrated HIAWATHA GROVE, is on this farm: it is a popular resort for pleasure parties, and will yield a good income.

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Bunch of Keys, with bone tag, no name on it, most keys of Yale make, one large key. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning the same to Steamer House on Winn street, Woburn, Mass.

No Distinction of Sex in the Right to Vote.

BY HON. JOHN D. LONG.

It is a custom among the Yankee people when any new plan is suggested, especially if it has been advocated for a long time and with great urgency, to settle the matter in the only sensible way, which is, to put it to the test. Has it occurred to you that a great many intelligent people—whether or not you agree with them—advocate woman suffrage? Do you remember that the claim has been advocated for many years? Are you aware how easy it would be to settle this question by putting it to the test? Let me ask you whether you are aware of any injury from proffering suffrage to women to the extent already given? I think a good deal may be said for giving women full suffrage, but I also think it wise for women to take only one step at a time, and to move now for nothing more than municipal suffrage. The Legislature cannot confer on women the right to vote for representatives. Therefore the members of the Legislature will still be elected by men, and these same men will not thereby be influenced by the vote of women. At any moment when woman suffrage shows itself a failure, then the Legislature of men elected by the votes of men can repeal the vote giving to women municipal suffrage. I do not see how an experiment can be tried with greater safety. But no evil will result, and no one will complain of the result or ask for the repeal, any more than in the case of woman's present right to vote for school committee. If the Legislature gives this, you may say, if it gives this inch, then the people will take an ell. But if giving woman suffrage results well, it is a wise conferment. If it does not result well, then your men in the Legislature will act on that and repeal the statute.

The question of woman suffrage suffers from its very familiarity. People have come to think of it as a hobby, a sentiment, an impracticable dream. If it could be sprung as a new question, if for instance, the right to vote were altogether a new right conferred on the people in this year, for the first time, there would be no more question of granting it to both men and women than of permitting both males and females to attend the public schools, or acquire and hold property, or do any of the other many things which both now do in common. On the contrary, the denial of the right of suffrage would then seem to be as violent an outrage as would now be the denial of any of these other privileges which they equally share. Or put it in another way,—for, in homely phrase, what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander,—suppose that up to this time suffrage had been limited to women and that no man had ever been permitted to vote except for school committee. Suppose, meantime, that men had developed their natural capacity for every department of business life and enterprise, and were demanding the ballot. How much nonsense do you suppose they, although in the minority, would stand from anybody who should answer them by saying that suffrage is not a right; that it is a matter of expediency; that there are too many voters already; that men were virtually represented already by their wives and mothers; that men had not been trained to the ballot; that to give it to them would result in the disturbance of families and endanger the home; that it would lead to violence at the polls; and that men ought not to be perverted from their sphere or distracted from their appropriate business of making money, raising corn, transporting freight, and all the great masculine concerns and economics of production and commerce? How they would roar you the great truths of the Declaration of Independence, that all mankind are created free and equal, and that government derives its just powers only from the consent of the governed; and that whoever is taxed for the common benefit and affected by the making of laws should have a voice in the processes of taxation and legislation!

My trouble with this subject is that I never heard an argument against woman suffrage. I have heard expressions of honest and crusty prejudice, and the blunt won't-have-it. I know the conservative faintness that is terrified at the fall of a rose-leaf, and I appreciate the weight of the inertia of custom. But I never heard a reason urged against woman suffrage that was worth considering, or was not an insult to the understanding of a very small boy. There is some satisfaction in striking at an obstacle that is capable of being knocked down. But the opposition to woman suffrage is like a bag of feathers suspended in the air. You may pound it all day, and at night it is a bag of feathers still, neither ruffled nor moved.

Let us be honest and admit what we all know, that the real reason why the right is denied to women is because there is just trace enough of ancient barbarism lingering in our civilization to bar them out—the same barbarism that made women slaves, that made them beasts of burden, that made them pets and playthings, but that—thank heaven—is gradually passing away. The whole logic of the thing lies in a nutshell. Either women should vote or men should not vote. Why do I say this? I say this because human ingenuity cannot suggest a single distinction between the sexes so far as the right of voting is concerned. They are equally intelligent, so far as the intelligence to vote is concerned. They are equally competent to judge of the merits of measures and the comparative merits of candidates. Is there any doubt that the women of this audience are equal in these respects to the average voter, or that they are not as well prepared to pass on the comparative merits of Robinson and Prince, Blaine and Ceveland, free rum and prohibition, civil service reform and the spoils system, free trade and protection, free and equal suffrage and fraudulent elections? Shall we trust the man who does not know the multiplication table, and be afraid of Mary Somerville, who measures the stars? Men and women have an equal stake in the government and laws; they each hold property to be protected and taxed; they alike have children to be educated, and lives and limbs to be made secure; they follow many of the same businesses and professions; they do much of the same labor, even to the extent of the barber's shop on one hand and the cook-stove on the other; they have each shown ability as queens and kings, as rulers and administrators, as bureau clerks and agents. Shakespeare evidently thought he was doing no violence to human nature when he made Portia not only an upright but a preeminent judicial authority. I am told that you will find many a street in our Massachusetts towns, on which of the adult residents a majority are women owning property on which they are taxed for the municipal expenditures in which they have no voice, while the male minority not infrequently more than half are persons having no visible property, paying only a poll-tax, some of them the employes of the women, and yet by their major vote actually the controlling numerical element. The mere statement of this frequent fact is at once an illustration and a demonstration of the case. And yet in every such community the average intelligence and competency of the women is, at the very least, equal to that of the men. Some of the women don't know much. Some of the women would not vote if they could; and as many of the men do not vote, although they can. Some of the women would vote as they were led or misled; as many of the men do the same thing. Most of the women in these instances would, if they were voters, exercise the suffrage with care, conscientiousness, understanding, and advantage; and the men do no more. These same men and women meet together many times a year and engage in the same interests, not only in private life, but in public relations. If there is an industrial or agricultural fair or a village improvement enterprise, they are equally active. Both furnish members of the school committee, one as good as the other, not only in matters of instruction, but even in the way of schoolhouse repairs, and the grading of the grounds. They mingle in church meetings, and in this respect we all know that women are the salvation of the enterprise. They own stock in the same bank and railroad, and vote with common intelligence on their shares. They crowd into the same hall to attend lectures and balls. They go to the same theatres and unite in local dramatic entertainments, the women usually a little quicker at their parts. They hold offices in the same savings bank and insurance company, the women subordinate clerkships, to be sure, but capable, if they had the same business training, of any place. Most significant of all, they go to the same political meetings, listen to the same stump-speakers and if a hot campaign comes, engage with the same acrimony and passionateness in political debate, discussing men and measures at the street corners, and fighting it out around the family table, the household not infrequently divided against itself. In view of this, what patience can be had when some hardshell tells us this is all so, but the heavens would fall, society would be ruined, the State would collapse, if the same women, once in March and once in November, should enter a decent town hall or ward room,—all the more decent for their presence,—walk to a ballot-box, and put into it a piece of printed paper expressing in concrete form the results of their previous consideration! I can understand well enough why one man should be afraid of ignorant suffrage and desire additional education qualifications; but while that test would exclude many men who vote, it would exclude women who do not. I can understand why another might demand the test of property, or loyalty, or age; but every such test would still be without distinction of sex.

Right! Of course it is the denial of a right, and everybody knows it. To deny a right is an outrage. It is idle to mystify this matter with refinements about natural right and artificial right. Somebody even has suggested that women are not particularized in the Declaration of Independence or the Constitution. Neither are slaves. Even as to them some used to argue that freedom is not a natural right; that children are not free; that offenders against the law and insane persons are not free; and that freedom is a matter of expedient discrimination. As a matter of common sense, you and I know that if we contribute out of our property to a common fund, if we are taxed for a common enterprise, if our rights, our liberties, our persons, our children, are affected by certain laws, we ought to have a voice in the arrangement; and if you doubt this, try the experiment with a body of men and see what will come of it.

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Our Dumb Friends.

There are no animals about which so many stories have been told as they monkey. All the tricks and rascalities of the animal kingdom have been laid at his door. The Englishman who wrote to his correspondent in Rio Janeiro to send him 200 varieties of the monkey plant and forgot to write the word plant, and consequently received word from his correspondent that he had received and shipped 173 varieties of monkeys, and could procure no more, was probably thinking of their many blunders and tricks when he himself committed the blunder. Most of the stories are based on the monkey's power of imitation. A Spanish muledriver once invested his scant earnings purchasing a number of red woven caps which form the crown of the turban worn throughout Turkey and Africa and set out to make his fortune in the interior. He started before sunrise, and, when the heat of the day came on, lay down to sleep beneath a tree in a wood. Taking off his hat he opened his valise, and, putting on a red cap, was soon asleep. When the sun was low in the horizon he awoke, and to his horror, saw the trees filled with monkeys in red caps. They had seen the Spaniard put on the red cap before going to sleep, and followed his example. The poor Spaniard, with all the gesticulation peculiar to his country, cursed his hard fate, stamped his foot in anger and tore off his red cap and threw it on the ground, when—blessed and unexpected result—all the monkeys followed his example. He picked up his caps and moved on.

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The following is an extract from a letter: * * * * Knowing you to be interested in the prevention of cruelty to animals, I take the liberty to send you the following statement, in hope that you will arouse a feeling of indignation which will cause Congress to compel cattle owners on these plains to provide food and shelter for their stock.

In consequence of failing health I came here in December last, to remain during the winter. On Monday the 8th of this month, I had occasion to go to Kinsley, Kansas, about 300 miles east of this place on business—leaving Pueblo in the evening. It was a night trip, but returning on Tuesday afternoon gave me about six hours of daylight, during which time I witneed more cruelty and suffering of cattle than I ever wish again. It was impossible to count the number of dead cattle in sight of the train, in consequence of a snow storm raging, which added to the smoke from the engine, hid many from sight; but one of the passengers told me that he counted *three thousand* and five, a few days before, between Dodge City and Coolidge, in western Kansas; and from what I saw, I think he was rather below the actual number. In one place of less than an acre, I counted 31 dead—evidently where they had bunched together during a storm. In another place, not many rods apart, lay 1800 dead sheep, and a little further west 2500 were counted by the trainmen in the same condition. The latter, in consequence of the storm, which had become violent, I failed to see. But the most cruel sight was the poor emaciated moaning living cattle—driven before the storm to the windward side of the wire fence along the railroad, in bunches of from *one to three hundred*, uncared for, unfed; no help, no shelter, no hay or grain in sight of them; many of them lying down to die, as we passed.

The owners of these cattle live in the cities, buy them as a venture and turn them out to shift for themselves; and I have been told the cost is less, if one-third die, than it would be to provide the whole. What can we hope from a system which admits of such cruelty; and what remedy, except to compel *them*, the owners of these poor creatures to provide food and shelter for them?"

R. H. SAUNDERS.

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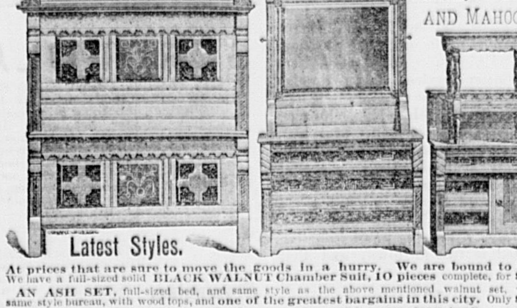

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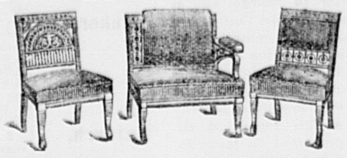

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ready method in drowning, as to what to do and how to do it, will be found in Dr. Kauffmann's Medical Work; fine colored plates from life. Send three 2 cent stamps, to pay postage to A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass., and receive a copy free.

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I have found out a gift for my fair. It is not a ring of gold nor flowers for her hair, nor pearls for her white neck, but Salvation Oil for her sore throat. She's a singing bird.

Loss of life.—Thousands sink into an early grave for want of a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Lillie Cushman prints a poem entitled "Unknown is Best." But how does Lillie know what is best, if it is unknown?

From John F. Wyman, formerly Postmaster, South China, Me.

"Too much cannot be said of Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam, as it is the best remedy for coughs, colds, etc., that I have ever seen; and to its wonderful effects I owe my recovery. It is well worthy of praise, and I would advise all to use it who are afflicted."

"My heart goes out to thee" hummed the gambler, as he passed the ace of that suit under the table to his "pal."

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HAIR that has become weak, gray, and faded, may have new life and color restored to it by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. "My hair was thin, faded, and dry, and fell out in large quantities. Ayer's Hair Vigor stopped the falling, and restored my hair to its original color. As a dressing for the hair, this preparation has no equal.—Mary N. Hammond, Stillwater, Minn.

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PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate under the will of Leonard Thompson, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, testate, given in trust for the benefit of Anna M. Thompson, Maria L. Thompson and Sarah M. Thompson,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Edward F. Johnson, the trustee under said will, has presented for allowance the first account of his trusteeship;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said Trustee is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at Laws and others interested in the estate of Kiernan J. Kenney, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Mary E. Kenney, Administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court her petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased described in said petition, for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

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FEB. 21, 1887.

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FOR LAWRENCE at 8.22, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 1.34, 4.21, 5.10, 5.57, 6.41, 7.55, 11.33 P. M. **Sunday**, 9.28, A. M., 5.28, P. M. **RETURN**, 6.40, 7.45, 9.30, 11.00, A. M., 12.05, 1.30, 4.05, 6.03, 9.20, P. M. **Sundays**, 8.55 A. M., 4.25 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.26, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 2.21, 3.21, 5.10, 6.41, 9.25, 11.33 P. M. **Sunday**, 9.28 A. M., 5.28, P. M. **RETURN**, 6.35, 7.17, 7.35, 9.15, 11.00, A. M., 6.00, 6.30, P. M. **Sunday**, 9.00, A. M., 4.30 P. M.

For Nashua, Manchester, Concord, N. H., 7.26, 11.24 A. M., 3.21, 6.41 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H., 7.26 A. M., 3.21 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton N. H., 7.26 A. M., 3.21, P. M.

For WARNER, BRADFORD, SUNAPEE, NEWPORT, N. H., and CLAREMONT at 11.24 A. M.

For PENACOOK, FRANKLIN, LEBANON and WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, 7.26, 11.24 A. M., 3.21, 6.41 P. M.

For TILTON, LACONIA, MEREDITH, ASHLAND and PLYMOUTH at 7.26, 11.24 A. M., 6.41 P. M.

For stations north of Plymouth and stations on the Passumpsic R. R., at 7.26, A. M., 6.41 P. M.

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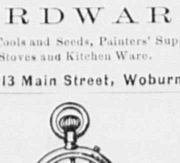

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First Unitarian. Pleasant street, corner Winn. Rev. Henry A. Westall, pastor.
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THE MASTER BLACKSMITH.

BY JOHN N. DICKIE.

You would never have imagined it from the turn of his lips. They were a very ordinary pair indeed when in repose, which, to tell the exact truth, was not often; but this morning they were puckered up in the most comical manner, wrinkling his ruddy cheeks and giving his whole physiognomy a distorted and distressed appearance painful to behold. But he was an excellent whistler. Of that there was not the smallest doubt. Clear, resonant, trilling up and down the mazy labyrinths of two octaves with never a false note; his hands in his pockets, his tattered straw hat thrown back on his curly head, his sturdy feet, brown and bare, kicking little clouds of dust in the road which wound along the base of a stony hillside almost at a white heat beneath the rays of the noonday sun.

Suddenly the music ceased. Evidently our musician had whistled himself out of a brown study into some sort of a decision, for he stopped, picked up a pebble, and tossed it over the fence with a jerk.

"Yes, I'll do it. I don't like it, but *she'll* never find it out. I'm pretty near wore out thinkin' agin' and heavin' first one side and then t'other. But it's over with at last, and ain't I glad of it, though!"

With quickened footsteps he now turned to the right and ascended the hill, entering a small cottage surrounded by a well kept lawn, bordered by a choice collection of annual flowering plants, now in the heighth of their beauty.

"Well, mother,"—to a slender pale-faced woman who stood at an ironing table—"I've decided. It's all right. Gadford's got me. Thought it all over, just as you said. I'll begin with him to-morrow if he says so."

"Your sure now, my son—very sure it's your own will and choice?" replied his mother, anxiously.

"Dead sure," returned the lad, stoutly. "Of course a blacksmith's apprentice can't put on so many high-toned airs as if he was studyin' medicine but that ain't anything, you know—is it?"

"Have you ever put on any airs, Jerry, or have you ever desired to?" answered the good woman, laughing.

"No, no, of course not"—a little impatiently. "But in the eyes of other folks, you know, 'Doctor Atman' would—would sound more dignified-like than 'Jerry Atman, blacksmith'—wouldn't it, now?"

"The trade your father followed, and the reputation he earned as a good workman and an honest man," returned the widow with sparkling eyes, "sounded as well in the ears of this community as that of Dr. Fields, who has so kindly offered to take you in his office. You might make an excellent physician—that remains to be proven; but as a blacksmith you are sure of success from the start."

"Oh, yes, *any one* can learn that trade," retorted Jerry, a little bitterly, so much so he strove to disguise the tone with a feeble whistle.

"By no means," returned Mrs. Atman, quickly. "Master blacksmiths are rare. To shoe a horse well is in itself an art. Why not begin with the determination of becoming an artist in iron? You inherit your father's talents. Don't be ashamed of them. Remember, my son, you need not, if you will not, remain chained to the forge for life."

Jerry sprang to his feet with a shining face and tossed his hat across the room. "God bless you for saying that mother! If I am man enough to make the chain! I can cut the links when I want to, can't I? Hurrah! hurrah! Gadford forever!"

Blaketon was a small village nestling among the hills in the southern part of Ohio.

Among the many institutions of this village, which gave it name and fame throughout the county, was a long, low, rambling structure, black with the smoke of fifty years. Here the fires in two forges were constantly ablaze, and the merry music of hammer and anvil could be heard at all seasons of the year, regardless alike of wind and weather.

The presiding spirit of this establishment was an eccentric, middle-aged man, with a tongue ever wagging over the small gossip of the neighborhood, which he benevolently dispensed to the group of idlers who seldom failed to give him more or less of an audience. This fact being recognized, some unknown party had dubbed the shop "Gadford's Harbor" a name it had held and honored for many years.

It was a cold, frosty morning in November. Mr. Gadford had begun work. For a wonder, he was alone. A circumstance so unusual apparently had its effect, for he dropped his hammer and went to the door.

"I wonder what's the matter with Jerry this morning?" he muttered, as he filled his pipe and squinted up and down the long street. "First day he's been off time since he started in. Somethin's up or down with him, sartin. I never seen a boy so bent on gittin' at a trade in my life, but he's tryin' to move with it a leetle fast for a beginner. Some says conceity folks is the kind what wins. I wonder if they do? I never thought nothin' of myself—nothin' at all: and look at me now! I don't think there's a horse in the state I can't shoe to the notch, nor any work in iron I ain't up to. Solid worth is what takes the lead, but stuckupitiveness, never! I guess I'll have to drop this 'prentice of mine a peg or two. All I hope is they won't be no broken bones!" and he turned to his forge with a chuckle.

Considerably out of breath, Jerry Atman bounded into the shop, tossed off his coat, and was into his leathern apron in a jiffy.

"Couldn't help it, Mr. Gadford. Mother's sick. My aunt is there now, sir, and I guess I'll be on time after this," as he took a shovel of coals from his master's forge to light his own.

"No excuse needed in a case like this," replied the blacksmith, slowly. "No fault to find with you on *that* score, Jerry."

"Any fault to find anywhere, sir?" queried his apprentice, the roar from the bellows almost drowning his voice.

"Not gene'lly, not 'tickerly, boy; but still I might say, in a fatherly kind of a way, that you're gittin' just a little too smart fer a cub!"

"Too smart for a cub—what do you mean, sir?" cried our hero with a flushed face.

"What do I mean?" replied his master, with a loud laugh—"why, jist what I've said, of course. What have I been doing' these thirty years. Tendin' to my trade, haven't I? When I worked as a prentice I acted like one. You don't, you see. Who ever heerd of a feller in your place studyin' grammer, and borrowin' books to read after night? When you go home, do like I did—keep your mind on your bis'ness. Don't think of nothin' but that. I don't want no scholard here fer a cub, nor no one that stands off from the crowd and won't be drawed into no talk unless its related of to some eddicated thing or 'nother. You're soarin' too much, young man. I don't like it. Nobody else does. Now git to work and quit it!"

Jerry stood for one moment irresolute. His face was hot with passion, and a savage rejoinder was on his tongue; but he thought of his mother. In spite of his narrowness, his master was kind, and an excellent workman. So he turned on his heel and whistled Mr. Gadford glared at him savagely out of the corner of his eye, and had it on his lips to order the music stopped, but thought better of it, and pounded his thumb with the hammer instead.

Blaketon could boast of but one dry-goods store, but that was an unusually large and extensive one for so small a place. Mr. Silas Upton, the proprietor, had done a thriving business that pleasant April day and he watched the sun declining behind the hills with no particular regret. But trade was not done yet, apparently, for no less a person than our friend Jerry Atman entered and advanced toward the counter.

"And what can I do for you, my friend?" inquired the merchant, rubbing his hands and smiling blandly.

"But a very little, sir; hardly worth your time and trouble; only a pair of suspenders, and not very expensive ones either."

"Here they are, strong as a rope, as elastic as—as you are, I take it," glancing at the young man's well-knit frame.

"They look like good ones, that's a fact. You needn't mind doing them up. I will pay you Saturday night when I get my wages."

With a deft movement, Mr. Upton snatched the suspenders from the purchaser's hands and tossed them back into the box, with the words:

"Don't begin in that way, young man! Don't start out in life by asking credit. Come, let me give you a lesson. Pay as you go. If you don't pay, don't buy! That is the way I began. It's the only way to begin. Don't spend your money before you get it. That's my advice, and you'll thank me for it some day."

It is needless to inform the reader that our friend Jerry was somewhat astonished, not to say embarressed, at the turn affairs had taken. He knew well enough, disguise it under the form of advice as he might, that the merchant hesitated to trust him even for so small a sum. He had never before felt so lowered in his own estimation. This did him good. His thoughts flew fast. Suppose he should act on the advice so freely given? It was sound enough. Let him show no ill-will and bear it like a man. This resolution was taken, he held out his grimmy hand with the words:

"You have hit me hard, Mr. Upton, and I should lie to you if I said it didn't hurt. But I think it'll do me good. I am pretty sure I shall never forget it. Will you shake hands, sir?"

It was now the merchant's turn to show perplexity. It is very likely he would have preferred losing the whole box of suspenders to such hearty acceptance of his fatherly counsel. With an embarrassed smile he took the outstretched hand, and winced as he felt the firm pressure of the fingers against his own. His well of advice being pumped dry, he had nothing more to add as his would-be customer touched his hat and departed.

At precisely half-past six o'clock Saturday night Jerry entered the store and purchased a pair of suspenders paying for them on the spot. The clerk made the sale, and Mr. Upton, busied with his books, looked up with a perplexed countenance, scratched the bridge of his nose reflectively, and was lost again.

"I tell you he's above his bis'ness!" exclaimed Mr. Gadford, one bright May morning, to a group of his old cronies, who lounged about the Harbor, engaged in idle conversation. "There's no doubt about that in my mind. A pretty blacksmith he is, to be everlastin'ly readin' and studyin'! He isn't one of us, that he isn't. I've tried my best to reform him, but 'tain't no use. He's in a manner—in a manner I say a disgrace to the trade, and I'm ashamed of him!" and the outraged blacksmith kicked a piece of iron spitefully one side with his heavy boot, and began filling his pipe as a solace for his ruffled thoughts.

"He learned the trade, anyhow, didn't he?" queried old John Cliver, a superanuated wagon-maker, who, presuming on his age and infirmities, often asked disagreeable questions.

"I don't say as he hasn't," retorted Mr. Gadford, moodily. "He served his time, and I don't turn out no poor workmen—no, not if I know it, I don't; but learnin' and blacksmithin' won't mix, no more nor oil and water. Why I know it for a fac' that he's got a library—a library, gentlemen"—here the speaker spat on his hands and grasped his hammer as if desirous of demolishing it forthwith—"and reads everything, associates with Preacher Banks, changes books with him, you know, and talks over theologys and things just as if he wasn't a blacksmith. Where'd I have been to-day if I had started out by puttin' on airs and gittin' above my bis'ness? But I didn't. I stuck to my trade, and now where am I? Where am I, eh?"

"Right here, Sammy, right here," replied Mr. Slabton, a near and dear friend, who acted in the capacity of village sexton.

"Yes, right here, as a fixture and a success, anyone dispute that?"

The awful silence wich followed this query was its only answer.

"Now, how'd I do it?" continued Mr. Gadford, in a slightly molified voice. "By mindin' my bis'ness and lettin' the fine arts alone. Jerry Atman'll never build up a character in this country. He's a-dividin' himself too much; and a house, as the Scripture plainly says, divided agin itself will great be the fall thereof!"

"Reckon' you haven't heard the news?" inquired Mr. Cliver, who did not appear particularly overpowered.

"No. What news?" from the Harbor in chorus.

"Got his patent yesterday. Told me all about it. Something new, to—a plow-harrow; that is a harrow so made that it can be attached to any plow, and level the ground as it is turned over. He's had an offer for the State already, but says he will manufacture himself. He's rented the old Sadlet shop, and will start as soon as he can get things together. This is all. I'll be around to-morrow, as usual," and the old man limped slowly away.

Silas Upton was a good business man. Not only was he convinced of this himself, but the community at large held the same opinion. But good business men sometimes mistakes. Mr. Upton had done so. Such a simple thing, too. He had only written his name below that of a friend, merely to comply with a matter of form. His friend had unfortunately failed in his enterprise and left the country; and Mr. Upton woke up one morning to find himself called upon to pay a note of several thousand dollars. This he did in his usual brusque, business-like manner, fully aware that he would have nothing left—that he would be a ruined man. Everybody wondered "how he was going to get along now." They shook hands mournfully with him, and in a dejected manner, with the cheerful suggestion that, after all, "it might be worse, you know," which was very comforting indeed.

Jerry Atman, blacksmith, was making a success of his business. He had got all the capital he wanted by selling some territory, and no more was for sale at any price. He had turned manufacturer himself, and was pushing things with a rush. But he was still scheming, and this was what brought him down to Gadford's Harbor so early in the morning. The proprietor of that resort was hard at work, and he greeted our hero with a sullen nod.

Jerry didn't seem to notice his cold reception at all. He was too full of business for such small matters. "I have come to make you an offer," he said, deliberately.

"I don't want no offer!" replied his old master intent upon his work.

"I'll make it any way. My patent is a success. I never expected so simple a thing to meet the approbation of everybody. Orders are coming in so rapidly I cannot fill them. Now I want to let out the contract for the iron work to some man master of his business. You are that man. If I prove to you that acceptance of this contract will net you three dollars to the one you now receive, will you take hold of it?"

Mr. Gadford laid down his hammer, took off his hat and scratched his bald head in a feeling manner, as he glanced with a dismayed look at his former apprentice. He saw his opportunity. The voice of the community was too strong for him now. He knew this young man was a power, and he felt it. Had he dealt fairly with the youngster? No, he hadn't. Then why should the youngster deal fairly with him? This was his religion. It was a very poor one, but it was the best he had.

"I ain't in no shape to ask favors of you, Jerry Atman," he answered stiffly.

"Why, I'm not conferring a favor, I'm *asking* one, Mr. Gadford. Little do I care what you have said. It's a sign of small timber to bend before every blast. Come, now, let's figure a little: and as you are pretty good in that line, prove me wrong if you can!"

Mr. Silas Upham had almost made up his mind to move to the county seat. He had the offer of a clerkship at a very small salary, but that was better than nothing. A loud knock at the door roused him from his half formed descision. He opened it, and in walked Jerry Atman.

"I called to pay you a debt of gratitude, sir," he said in a blunt way.

"Debt of gratitude. I do not understand," replied Mr. Upton, as he handed his vsitor a chair.

"I stand your debtor, nevertheless," returned our hero, as he unrolled a small package and produced a pair of suspenders. Do you recognize them, sir?"

"I—I think I do," stammered the merchant, with a painful flush.

"These are the very ones I bought and paid for on that memorable Saturday evening after I received my week's wages of two dollars. I never wore them, I took them home and laid them away. When I felt like asking credit in any enterprise since then I have looked them up before coming to a decision, and they have always carried the day. Whatever of success I have made or will make dates from the time I purchased this simple article. Now, I need a man to travel in the interest of my patent and to sell to the trade. I want you. I cannot afford large wages to begin with, but if seventy-five dollars a month and expenses will suit you, you may begin to-morrow if you like."

"Oh, Jerry, Jerry, you cut me to the heart!" cried Mr. Upton, the tears standing in his eyes. "To think that my lack of confidence in you—"

"That has nothing to do with it," interrupted the manufacturer, with a nervous laugh. "Will you or will you not—that is the question?"

It is needless to state that Mr. Upton did not need much persuasion, and entered upon his duties with alacrity and vim.

Gadford's Harbor suddenly developed into a three-story brick, and a great many idle craft that formerly moored in its waters set sail in the employ of the owner. In Jerry's office, directly above the desk, a pair of cheap suspenders hang in an elegant frame. Mr. Gadford, foreman of the shops, and Mr. Upton the traveling salesman, now stockholders in the concern, are the in the secret of what is the cause of much wonderment to the gossips of the neighborhood.—*Christian Union.*

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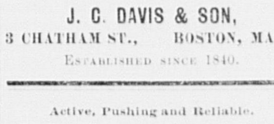

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Put down another most noteworthy example, set by the Thirteenth N. H. Veterans. Not a man of them, at their dinner at the Revere House, in Boston, April 5, had a glass of liquor, as we are informed. It would not have been so when they come home from the war. Here is certainly a case of advance in public seatiment.—*Congregationalist.*

The instalment theory is by no means a new one. Honestly conducted by a reliable person or firm, it is a blessing to persons of limited incomes. Of course unprincipled persons can abuse it, and the same is true of any good measure. In fact its always best to deal with firms of established good reputation, when such a firm advertises that their goods are honestly made, and that they are selling at low prices, and rely on their good name to assist them. B. A. Atkinson & Co. have all these requisites and you cannot make a mistake if you buy of them.

Commenting upon Senator Reagan's outspoken protest against chaining the Democratic party to the saloons, the Washington *Star* (Ind.) says: "It would be a fine thing for American politics if every party could be induced to cut itself free from the grog-shop element, and snap its fingers in the face of any body of voters who tie their ballots to the neck of a rum-jug."

An Imperative Necessity.

What pure air is to an unhealthy locality, what spring cleaning is to the neat housekeeper, so is Hood's Sarsaparilla to everybody, at this season. The body needs to be thoroughly renovated, the blood purified and vitalized, the germs of the disease destroyed. Scrofula, Salt Rheum, and all other blood disorders are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the most popular and successful spring medicine.

It's a wise child that resembles its richest relative.

Our Dumb Friends.

HOW A FOX GOT AWAY FROM HUNTERS.

A well known member of Parliament and M. F. H. recently related to us the following incident, which being strictly true, may not be without interest to our readers.

In the year 18—, the huntsman of the Wirrall (Cheshire) Harriers had a young fox offered to him by a laboring man, and effected its purchase for the modest sum of thirty shillings. He immediately set about making arrangements for a day's run with all the enthusiasm of an old fox-hunter, and glorified in the prospect of a rattling burst across country. But just as everything was settled a severe frost set in and continued for more than a month so that all prospects of sport was at an end. Meanwhile, however, the fox of course must be fed, and this duty devolved upon the huntsman, who made him as comfortable as a fox in confinement could possibly be. He soon became quite the pet of the household and the children grew so fond of the funny little fellow with his bright eyes and kittenish ways that they could not bear the thought of parting with him, and Reynard himself seemed to feel quite at home, in blissful ignorance of the future. Even the huntsman himself grew quite attached to him and when at last the frost broke up, it was with very different feelings to those he had set about the preparation for the run. In due time, however, the field assembled, huntsmen and hounds all the more eager for the enforced delay. A southerly wind and cloudy sky, the landscape glittering with the morning dew, and gay with scarlet and green.

The fox was turned out, and after a few moments' "grace" the whole field started in hot pursuit. Poor Reynard soon took in the situation, and with that cunning for which he is celebrated, not unmixed with a certain other quality with which he is not usually credited—I mean trustfulness of disposition—he doubled upon his pursuers and made straight for the horses. With wonderful sagacity, considering his terror and distress, he singled out his quondam friend, the huntsman, and, without a moment's hesitation, which would have cost the poor brute his life, for he was then almost in the very jaws of the dogs, he leaped upon the saddle, and nestled closely against his red-coated protector. His panting breath and piteous eyes were too much for the heart against which his own was beating, and his life was spared. Under these circumstances the hunt was abandoned, and Master Reynard was reprieved. He was once more installed as the family pet.—*Leisure Hour.*

A clergyman at Edinburgh has been dismissed by his congregation because he aired his baby in a perambulator. He first shocked their feelings by carrying the infant abroad in his arms, whereupon they made him the present of a baby carriage. He did not take the hint, however, and transfer the pleasing duty to Bridget or some one else, but wheeled the vehicle along the streets with the baby in it, and so they sent him a polite letter informing him that while his abilities gave satisfaction, his pastoral services would no longer be required.

During the last eight years no fewer than 61,259 seamen, fishermen and bargemen, in addition to members of their families, have become abstainers through the agency of the Mission to Seamen of the Church of England Temperance Society.

A distant relation—A story told over a telephone wire.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 1887.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ Whether the Cambridge city government is favorable to carrying out the verdict on the rum question which the voters brought in at the last charter election or not we cannot say but last Monday evening a large meeting composed of representatives of the best social and business elements of the city was held to give expression to public sentiment on the subject and bring it to the attention of the Mayor and Council for their consideration. The city voted against license and from the fact of a meeting of the character of that mentioned being held, and also judging by the tone of its speeches and resolutions, it is to be presumed that the city authorities have failed to cause the laws against unlicensed rumselling to be duly executed and measures were deemed necessary to bring them up to the scratch and keep them there. The respectable people of Cambridge, and they are in a large majority, demand that illegal rumselling be put down—they are determined it shall be—and it was to let the Mayor and Aldermen know of this determination that the large and enthusiastic meeting was held last Monday. We hope such a meeting will not be necessary in Woburn during the official term of our present board of Selectmen. We do not believe that necessity for such a meeting will occur. The Board know what the will of the people is on the subject of rumselling; the town voted no on the license question by a handsome majority; the Board is composed of men who have respect for public sentiment—especially the sentiment of the best part of the public—and it is fair to presume that there will be no illegal traffic in rum here this year.

☞ An investigation of the charges of corruption in the Beverly division matter has been instituted by the Senate and some testimony has been taken. Probably the Farms people were willing to "trade" a little with the other side and were made to believe that there were customers for them; but it was only a trap by the old town's folks and as such worked very well indeed. It is not likely that much money passed or was used by either side and the investigation will not amount to a great deal.

☞ A few days ago there were some grounds for the belief that the high license bill now slowly advancing from stage to stage in the Legislature would become a law in season to do some good in towns and cities where needed this year. But it is now doubtful if such be the case.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

T. I. Reed—Hams.
Cyrus Lamb—Screens.
S. R. Niles—The Globe.
L. L. Whitney—For Sale.
W. H. F. A. W.—A Card.
E. E. Thompson—For Sale.
Wyer Bros.—Eggs for Sale.
Corcoran & Parker—Citation.
C. A. Smith & Son—Business.
T. C. Evans—Thompson & Co.
Town of Woburn—Water Notice.

— Burgess is offering great bargains in spring goods.

— Copeland and Bowser offer special inducements this week.

— The 3.55 train out was 25 minutes late last Tuesday afternoon.

— C. M. Munroe has a large stock of very nice spring overcoats.

— Those who use Reed's Burlington hams prefer them to any other.

— By middle of the afternoon Tuesday the snow had all disappeared.

— The Globe Clothing Company's store in Trull's block is doing first rate.

— Mr. E. E. Thompson advertises a good house at No. Woburn for sale.

— Mr. Ford is doing very well as landlord of the Woburn Hotel, Bennett street.

— Mrs. H. Seaver of Bridgeport, Conn., is visiting friends here at her former home.

— Mr. Carter has engaged the Tanners for next season's Polo tournament, or will do so.

— Water Registrar Barrett has a notice in this paper which is important to certain water takers.

— There was quite a refreshing rainstorm here last Saturday. It was cordially received by the people.

— Edward Perry was severely scalded while boiling logwood at E. Cummings & Co's factory last Monday.

— Mr. J. B. Robie returned last week from his trip to California and quite lengthy stay on the Pacific coast.

— Try one of Reed's Burlington hams. They make a fine relish.

— Messrs. McLaughlin & Lynch have gone into the undertaking business at Bernard McHugh's 72 Main street.

— W. N. Titus, Esq., has recently been appointed District Deputy of the A. O. U. W. for Medford, Arlington and Malden.

— Mr. and Mrs. John Cummings have returned from the Tremont House to their charming home at Woburn.—*Boston Courier.*

— Dr. W. P. Defriez of this place read a paper at the annual meeting of the Mass. Homeopathic Society held in Boston last week.

— Quotations from a well known author: "Pretty Spring Prints 4c; Crinkley Seersuckers 6 1-4c.; Indigo Blue Prints 6 1-4c."

— The City of Malden is talking of taking steps to secure a legal right to take water from Horn Pond. You can't do it, gentlemen.

— Read the card of Wyer Brothers, "Eggs for Hatching," in this paper. They breed the best fowls there are and sell the eggs at a reasonable price.

— Mrs. W. F. Kenney was assigned the contralto solos in mass and vespers at the Catholic church in Waltham last Easter Day. She is a fine singer.

— Postmaster Reade has several improvements made in the office since he took it. His motto is, "get the best," and that is what he is getting for the postoffice.

— At the organization of the Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners last week Mr. Edward W. Hudson was elected chairman and Mr. Thomas H. Hill, clerk.

— Rev. H. C. Parker, D. D., of Nashua, N. H., who preached at the Unitarian church last Sunday, will preach there again on the last Sunday of May next.

— There is a loud call for residences again this spring. The demand is for a better class of houses than heretofore, a good many of which will be built this season no doubt.

— The anniversary of the Battle of Lexington last Tuesday was observed here by running up the American flag and loosening its folds to the breeze, and thus it remained all day.

— Personal.—Maud:—Meet me at 2 o'clock at the Dress goods counters of C. A. Smith & Sons. They are showing the loveliest Spring styles in Ginghams, and you must see them.

— Mr. S. R. Dolliver, wife and daughter arrived here from San Francisco about a week ago and will remain until September. They visit their old home here regularly every two years.

— The Managers of the Association for the maintenance of the "Woburn Home for Aged Women" will hold their next regular meeting Tuesday afternoon, May 3, at half past two, at the "Home."

— Rev. Mr. Wright was reappointed to the pastorate of the Woburn M. E. Church by the Conference last week in accordance with a unanimous vote of the members. He is a good man and we are glad he has been sent back.

— About 2 o'clock last Tuesday morning an alarm was rung in box 62 for a fire in Edward Clark's double-tenement house on Centre street. The firemen were quickly on the spot and by prompt measures saved the house.

— At the monthly meeting of the Woburn Co-operative Bank last week, all the money was bid off by one person who paid six and three-tenths per cent for $700. The bank is growing in the good graces of the people daily.

— Teams have been distributing ties for the Stoneham Street RR., all along Salem street this week, which looks like business. The T rail is to be used which out of the thickly settled part of the town is as good as the flat one.

— At the semi-annual election of the "F. E. M." held last Friday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, H. E. Marion; Vice-president and Treasurer, W. L. Murdock; Secretary, M. H. Cotton.

— Gov. Ames has issued his proclamation setting apart Saturday, April 30, 1887, as Arbor Day, and earnestly recommends the people of Massachusetts to observe it in the manner intended. "God save the Commonwealth of Massachusetts."

— "There's many a slip," said a gentleman the other day, "but it's seldom I ever have one of this kind." He had just slipped a five dollar bill back into his pocket that he had saved by buying his carpets at C. A. Smith & Son's, Dry Goods and Carpet house.

— We owe our best thanks to Horton and Kelley, florists on Church street, for sending us a beautiful bouquet of roses, pinks, orange blossoms, etc., from their hot-houses last Wednesday, and improve this opportunity to publicly acknowledge the same. They expect to do more than ever in flowers this season.

— It wont take Woburn people long to decide to attend the entertainment in the Baptist church, May 5th. Such popular artists as Miss Ella Chamberlin, the famous whistling soloist, Mr. J. F. Gilder, that favorite of favorite pianists, and our own noted elocutionist, Mr. Elmore A. Pierce, will be sure to draw a church full of people.

— The annual meeting of the Board of Trade for the election of officers, etc., which fell on last Tuesday evening, was adjourned to next Tuesday evening when the business will be done up for the year. There were so many important matters going on last Tuesday evening that it was next to impossible to get a meeting together.

— The residence real estate lately brought into market by Bryant and King near their factory, for the sale of which W. N. Titus, Esq., is agent, has already found several purchasers and others are negotiating for lots. A number of houses will be built on the division this season and will eventually make pleasant homes for a good many people.

— Mr. Amos Cummings is going to give a symposium to the ladies of this town and vicinity as will be seen by his advertisement. These spring and fall gatherings of the ladies at Mr. Cummings's large, handsome and well-filled store has given much satisfaction and we doubt not this season's symposium will be as pleasant and profitable as any of its predecessors. Please see what Mr. Cummings has to say about it.

— The change in Chief of Police was a great surprise to almost everybody. Mr. Nelson has made a good Chief and it was generally believed he would be re-elected, but Republics are just as ungrateful this year as any other year. No doubt Mr. McIntosh will make a good Chief. He is a clean young man, well educated, bright, of excellent habits, and there is every reason to believe he will discharge the duties of the office faithfully and in the best manner for the town.

— "C. S. P." is supposed to be an Arlington editor. His comment on Medford, in an article elsewhere printed in this issue, shows that he is as cranky in the temperance cause as a Chicago anarchist is on anarchy. But Mr. Lawrence will see a compliment in his allegation—*Riverside News.* Reckon the JOURNAL's esteemed correspondent, C. S. P., can handle that without any trouble or help from over this way.

— Woburn has voted no-license by an overwhelming majority. This was to be expected on account of the abuse of license stipulations the previous year. There is liable to be a similar abuse in Medford, on account of the demoralizing effect of voting no-license one year and license the next, and the business will have to be regulated by a determined hand.—*Riverside News.* Medford ought to follow Woburn's example and be good.

— A colored citizen of Stoneham by the name of Charles Cephas was dangerously, if not fatally, injured while building fence with another man in Woburn last Saturday, by being struck by a sledgehammer. The hammer was in the hands of another man who was driving the fence posts which Cephas was holding, when the handle broke as the sledge was descending. Cephas's injuries consist of a deep flesh wound and a fractured skull.

— The voters did right at the Town Meeting last week to instruct the Assessors to take a census of the town this spring. An enumeration of our population is wanted to base our application for a city charter on or otherwise as the case may be and it is important that it be correctly made. We hope the Assessors will make a true count and return and not allow their individual feelings have any weight at all in the matter. The belief is general that Woburn has people enough to entitle her to a city charter and if so the Assessors will be expected to so report.

— Last week we respectfully asked Carter's Polo team to go in and win, and forthwith they proceeded to do so. The very same night they won third place in the League and the next night clinched it by whipping the Bostons within an inch of their existence, so to speak. Col. O. J. Hart kindly seconded the JOURNAL's request for the boys to wade in, therefore we allow him to share the credit of the advance movement and brilliant victory. What has the *Advertiser* to say to this? Perhaps it will keep right on telling people that the JOURNAL don't know anything about polo; and then again perhaps it won't.

— Trinity Episcopal church held its annual Parish meeting last Wednesday evening and chose the following officers for the year: Sen. Ward., N. W. Brown; Jun. Ward., Robert B. Eaton; Vestrymen, S. F. Trull, Charles Davis, Charles A. Sweetser, Lee Ward, James Graham; Treasurer, S. F. Trull; Clerk, C. A. Sweetser; Delegates to Gen. Con., R. B. Eaton, C. A. Sweetser, S. F. Trull. Funds were pledged for the church expenses for the current year. As soon as the arrangements are made Rev. Dr. Harris of Waltham will hold services in the church every Sunday evening until a Rector is secured.

— Lewis L. Whitney, Esq., Executor of the will of the late Deacon Benjamin Millett, advertises this week to sell the real estate of said deceased on Pleasant and Court streets at auction on May 12 next. The property is among the most desirable in town for residence purposes and will doubtless fetch a handsome price. It is within two or three minutes walk of the depot of the B. & L. RR., equally as handy to the street cars which will soon run directly by the estate, the Public Library is less than a stone's throw away, and the site is as sightly and pleasant as anything can be. At its tax assessment the place will yield a handsome return as an investment.

— THE WOBURN JOURNAL says thus of the local polo team: "The Woburn lads are slowly but surely creeping to the top of the ladder, and if the JOURNAL isn't way off in its calculations they'll capture the League colors by several lengths." Now we don't mean to indulge in any unseemly levity, but look at the score! A week ago Woburn did not stand the ghost of a chance.—*Waltham Free Press.* To be sure: but how is it now? Just as soon as the JOURNAL said encouraging things about the Tanners they began to scramble like whiteheads for the top of the ladder and came pretty near getting there. They everlastingly beat Winslow's Back Bay pets and don't you forget it. Which was glory enough.

— It snowed all day Monday quite furiously, during which several inches fell. It was winter weather to all intents and purposes and had rather a discouraging look for early planting. On April 19, 1775, when the British army went to Lexington and Concord and got whipped, history says it was a very hot day, that the grass waved in the gentle breezes, and some of the redcoats were prostrated by the heat while on their hasty retreat to Boston; but there was nothing of the kind here last Tuesday; on the contrary, the ground was covered with snow, a sharp wind blew from the northwest from whence it has been coming almost constantly since last January, it was cold and uncomfortable, and yet in spite of all this Lawyer B. says he has met people lately who have tried to make him believe that another "glacial period" is not rapidly approaching. Community cannot be too frequently remind that this has been a remarkable spring.

— The Camp-fire of Burbank Post 33, G. A. R., at their Hall last Thursday night was one of the best ever held by them. The members were out in full force to participate in paying the respects of the Post to the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, for which purpose the meeting was particularly held. The Phalanx have kindly proffered their services to the Post on occasions of entertainments, etc., and in return were paid a handsome compliment by the Veterans last Thursday evening. There was a street parade by the Post and the Phalanx led by the National Band, after which at the Hall the regular bake beans supper and other customers of the Post were enjoyed. It was a capital supper, and at its close and when the pipes had been lighted, stirring speeches were made by Commander Colegate, Thomas H. Hill, B. F. Whittemore, W. T. Grammer, Capt. Simonds of the Phalanx, Lieut. H. N. Conn, the true patriot Uncle William B. Harris, A. P. Barrett, A. S. Lester of Post 15, Boston, C. H. Colgate of Post 139, Somerville, and several others. Stories were told, songs sung, tobacco burned, and a grand Camp-fire enjoyed by all.

— Our new Town Treasurer, Edward F. Johnson, Esq., falls into line as handily as though he were "to the manor born." He has an aptitude for figures, account-books, and money-handling that makes him well fitted for the office of Treasurer, the duties of which he will, without the least doubt, discharge to the entire satisfaction of the public. Woburn has been somewhat noted for the length of the holdings of its officers. The first Town Clerk, Edward Johnson, from whom our new Treasurer is a direct descendent, held the office 30 years; G. R. Gage, was Treasurer for 34 years in succession; Nathan Wyman was Town Clerk for nearly 30 years; Edward Simonds was Collector for more than 30 consecutive years, barring a single one-year term; and now it looks as though another long official tenure had been entered on by Mr. E. F. Johnson, our new Town Treasurer. It is not at all unlikely that he has stepped into an office the duties of which he will discharge for a good many years to come, only changing its title from Town to City Treasurer. And the JOURNAL thinks there is no young man in town better qualified for the responsible position or one on whom the honor might with more propriety have been bestowed.

— On the 7th instant Mr. James C. Richardson and family attended the reception given by his relative Mrs. Betsey Upton at the residence of her son-in-law, Judge Nash, at Lynnfield Centre, in honor of the 90th anniversary of her birthday. A large number of the family and friends of the venerable lady were present and enjoyed the occasion very much in social intercourse, listening to the old-time stories told by Mrs. Upton, feasting and music. A correspondent of the Salem *Gazette* says about the lady: "Mrs. Upton, whose maiden name was Davis, was born in Weston, 1797, removed to Woburn in early childhood, where she lived until her marriage to Edward Upton of No. Reading, Oct. 12, 1815. The old lady who recently died at North Reading at the age of 102 was the last survivor of Mrs. Upton's 'wedding supper.' In 1816 the family moved to South Danvers, now Peabody, when they lived sixteen years. For many years she was a resident of Wakefield, but at present her home is with her daughter, Mrs. Nash of Lynnfield Centre," etc. A sister of Mrs. Upton, about 87 years old, still lives on the old place near the Winchester line, and other of her kinsfolk dwell in Woburn and vicinity to this day. Mrs. Upton retains her faculties in a remarkable degree; is smart, active, capable, and bids fair to live years and be of still more use to the world. At a jubilee service held on the evening of the 6th Rev. Harry Brickett, pastor of the Lynnfield Congregational church, said many pleasant things about Mrs. Upton and warmly thanked her for her generous gifts to the new chapel.

Town Meeting.

An adjourned Town Meeting to finish up the business of the Warrant was held at Lyceum Hall last Tuesday evening and was largely attended. The remaining articles in the Warrant were taken up and disposed of to about everybody's satisfaction. Business was conducted in the most orderly manner. It always has to be where Col. Grammer presides. He is a model Moderator and proved it last Tuesday evening by pushing the work through promptly and properly, and by decidedly, but courteously, shutting off at the proper time long-winded, tedious and unnecessary harangues.

The only interesting episode in the meeting was a personal explanation made, on the authority of a unanimous vote, by Dr. Harlow. It was in the nature of a reply to the allegations of Mr. David Moreland in a speech made by him the Tuesday evening before on the question of lighting the streets with electricity. The explanation was unnecessary and uncalled for. No one questions Dr. Harlow's integrity, his honesty, or moral uprightness. We did not understand that Mr. Moreland assailed Dr. Harlow's character, but that his animadversions and condemnations were intended for the Gaslight Co., but if he did, it was wrong and public sentiment would not sustain him in it. Dr. Harlow is no saint or any better than the average run of men, but no one ever heard his honesty questioned, and everyone knows his word is just as good as his or any other person's bond. Known by all his acquantances to be square and honorable there existed no necessity of his getting up in Town Meeting and trying to convince people of things they already knew, and in our judgment it would have been better, or just as well to say the least, if he had paid no attention to the matter.

The Articles in the Warrant were taken up and disposed of as follows:

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $200 to purchase implements necessary for concreting to be used by the Highway Department.

Voted to indefinitely postpone.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $500 to raise the grade of Bryant street to grade of Conn street, or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted to grade said street from the regular appropriations.

ARTICLE 32. To hear and act on the reports of any committee heretofore appointed by the Town.

The report of the committee appointed to ascertain the town's rights under the Dr. Clough will, after consulting eminent counsel, recommended that the matter be left to arbitration, which report was adopted.

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money to place street lights from present lights on Salem street to Walnut Hill, also one light corner Washington and Salem streets, one light corner Washington and Middle streets, one light corner of Washington and Cedar streets, and one light corner of Salem and Cedar streets, or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted to appropriate $100 for the purpose.

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will establish a By Law, providing for removal of snow and ice on sidewalks as provided for by Chapter 53, Sections 8 and 9, of Public Statutes, also to make any additional By-Laws which may be expedient, or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted to adopt the report of the committe appointed to frame such By-Law which provides, with penalties, for removing snow from concrete and brick sidewalks after storms.

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to change the name of Pond street to that of Lake Avenue.

Voted to change.

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will direct that a sidewalk be built between the estate of H. G. Randall and the Cemetery on Beach street, or do anything in relation to the same.

Referred to Selectmen.

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars from miscellaneous department for the purpose of placing the guns or cannon, received from the United States Government, on the Common in the large circle surrounding the Soldier's Monument, or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted to appropriate $100 to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will take any action relative to the letting out of work by contract.

Instructed public officers to give public work to Woburn people by equal distribution, without bidding for the same by parties seeking to do it, when the same can be considerately done. This had reference particularly to the printing of Town Reports, or rather that work was the origin of the article, and for this service and all others the vote is intended to protect home industries.

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to lease Lyceum Hall for Town Meetings, or do anything in relation to the same.

So authorized.

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Fish Commissioners to grant leave to the inhabitants of Woburn to catch fish in Horn Pond and to remove all exisling restrictions as regards the inhabitants of the Town of Woburn and their taking of fish from said Horn Pond, or do anything in relation to the same.

So instructed.

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will will cause the interior of the Armory building to be painted, make needed alterations and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted, on T. H. Hill's amendment to F. H. Lewis's motion, to spend $500 for purposes asked.

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will accept and adopt the provisions of Section 17, Chapter 82, of the Public Statutes, and also of the provisions of Chapter 186, of the acts of the year 1884, and authorize the Treasurer of the Town to act under the same or do anything in relation thereto.

Indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 43. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a gravel lot on land of A. A. Clements and others; also to see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to purchase a lot of land on Rock street for a gravel bank.

Voted to accept report for laying out gravel lot. Also, gave Selectmen authority to purchase gravel lot on Rock street at a price not to exceed $475 to be paid for from the appropriation of gravel lots.

Meeting dissolved.

Meetings of the Board of Selectmen.

As is usual immediately succeeding the inauguration of a new Town Board several formal and informal meetings have been held by the Selectmen since their induction into office and at last the machinery is all in very good working order for the year. The appointment of Police and other officers demanded considerable attention and no little time of the Board for it was important, at least they thought so, that no serious mistakes should be made. The aim from the beginning was to promote the best interests of the town by putting only good men in responsible places and to carry out this intention several meetings have been held to discuss, compare notes, and decide on things preparatory to final action by the full Board.

Considerable curiosity and not a little anxiety has been felt by citizens and officers during the week just gone concerning the Police force appointments, and it is safe to say that some very good people were on tenter-hooks for a week or more at least. Many conflicting opinions and guesses innumerable were indulged in by those interested in it, and at last the deliberations and voting of the Board was a surprise—in some particulars a very great, not to say painful, surprise—to more people than anyone would have believed. But good appointments have been made; the men are generally fitted for the places into which they have been put; the Selectmen have had the good of the town in mind while filling the vacant official positions; and it is fair to admit that they have, on the whole, done very well indeed.

The first formal steps towards filling places on the Police force from Chief down were taken last Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock, when the regular mid-monthly meeting was held, but soon adjourned to Wednesday at 4 o'clock P. M., on account of the Town Meeting. Petitions for positions of Chief, janitor, appointments to the berths of specials, etc., were presented at the meeting and duly disposed of by the proper reference. John G. Maguire, Esq., was re-elected Town Solicitor. At last it came to the matter of electing a Chief of Police and regular members of the force. Chairman Kenney of the Police Committee made report of full lists of officers including specials, which report was accepted, and the Board then proceeded to ballot for Chief. The vote stood: W. D. Nelson 4, Richard Terrett 1, C. K. Conn 1, Bryan McSweeney 1, Blank 1. A second ballot resulted in Nelson 3, McSweeney 2, Kean 1, Conn 2. On account of the absence of Mr. Cottle, after considerable discussion, the election of Chief was postponed to 4 o'clock, P. M., Wednesday, April 20.

For regular policemen the vote stood as follows, five being necessary for a choice: Michael Walsh 8, Thomas Mulkeen 8, Phillip McKenna 7, Charles F. McDermott 6, John O'Brien 6, John H. Magee 6, Bryan McSweeney 5, John A. Walsh 3, William R. McIntosh 2, John Keating 2, C. H. Kean 1, John Waters 1. The first seven were declared elected. The meeting then adjourned to April 20, 4 o'clock, P. M.

At the appointed hour the Board met and proceeded to the election of the remaining members of the police and other officers. For Chief of Police on the first ballot W. R. McIntosh received 5 votes, and W. D. Nelson 4, and Mr. McIntosh was declared elected.

Special Police Officers with pay:—H. J. Tarr, John Connolly, Terrance J. Maguire, John Thornton, W. F. Kendall, P. J. Claffy, Thomas Collins, John K. Plummer, John Keating, Michael F. Smith.

Special Police Officers without pay:—John E. Russell, W. H. Slater, N. Simonds, Geo. W. Soles, Fred. E. Soles, W. C. C. Colgate, John Doherty, C. H. French, J. S. Hennessey, Walter T. Litchfield, J. A. Moshier, W. Blaisdell, J. W. Waters, G. L. Waterman, E. K. Willoughby, N. W. Brown, Thomas C. Boyce, B. B. Brown, J. O. Cummings, N. J. DeLoriea, A. J. Foster, C. E. Hunter, John LaCoose, Jerry Murphy, Edward Simonds.

Probation Officer and Superintendent of Public Grounds:—Edward Simonds.

Keeper of Lockup and Janitor:—Charles A. McDonald.

Town Physician:—James H. Conway, salary, $350.

Engineers of Fire Department and Wardens of Forest Fires:—Clarence Littlefield, Charles W. Ames, J. Breslin, Richard J. Garrity, Rufus F. Poole.

Surveyors of Wood and Bark:—D. W. Brown, J. S. DeLaney, E. F. Cassidy, John Johnson, A. S. Wood.

Measurers of Upper Leather:—Marcus Eaton, A. W. Wyman, J. O. Cummings, P. L. Eaton, A. T. Nichols, Henry Taylor, Otis Bacon, Samuel Skelton, O. T. Curtis.

Inspector of Milk and Vinegar:—Chief of Police, without pay.

Registrars of Voters:—Thomas D. Hevey, salary, $100.

Undertakers:—C. E. Tripp, John McLaughlin, Edward Lynch.

Public Weighers:—Mark Downs, G. E. P. Morgan, J. H. Pearson, J. A. Ham, B. C. Golden, C. H. Cook, Milton Moore, J. H. Ropes, F. L. Perry, E. D. Newton, J. F. Dunbar, W. W. Bennett.

Sealer of Weights and Measures:—Edward Simonds.

A Business Meeting.

Chairman Lewis of the Business Committee of the Board of Trade called his associates together last Friday evening with other members of the Board to consult with Mr. John C. Chapman respecting the merits of the Chapman valve as a piece of machinism and also as a business enterprise who was here on the invitation of the Committee. The Board's Rooms were well filled with prominent mechanics of the town, business men, and members, who were treated to a description of the valve, its superiority to other valves, and inducements it held out as a manufacturing enterprise by Mr. Chapman, and appeared to be well satisfied with the information gained.

Chairman Lewis read several letters from well-known mechanics highly commendatory of its value, and such mechanical experts as Messrs. Parkhurst, Buel, and Freeman of this town freely and confidently expressed opinions in support of the superiority of this invention over all others of the kind. Several gentlemen present spoke of its merits and the desirability of securing the manufacture of it for Woburn, and Mr. Buel is to receive one of the valves from Mr Chapman and put it into actual use here that the public interested in it may see and judge of its worth for themselves.

Another object of the meeting was to canvass the question of organizing a company here for the manufacture of this new Chapman valve, or to get a public expression on it. Mr. L. B. Russell of Lynn, a member of the Board of Trade, who has become very much interested in the matter of establishing other manufacturing industries in Woburn besides those already here, thinks highly of this invention as a business enterprise and is warmly in favor of organizing a company to secure it. Other gentlemen of experience and practical business ideas endorse Mr. Russell and believe that we should get the manufacture of the valve here if possible.

Whether anything farther is done in the direction of getting up a company here to make the Chapman valve of course we do not know. Less than $25,000 will suffice to fetch it here, and it would seem as though that amount of capital ought to be raised without any sort of trouble. The meeting expressed a desire to further investigate and thought that the idea of securing this industry should not be allowed to die out without another effort to get it here.

Central Square.

Among the applicants for the position of depot-master here is Mr. James T. Newcomb who lives within three minutes walk of the new station house. Two or three others are trying to secure the appointment but at the present time it is thought Mr. Newcomb stands the best chance of getting it. The people here at the Square are almost unanimous in favor of his appointment, and as he is a very careful, steady, reliable man, and an old soldier to boot, the best thing the Company can do is to appoint him to fill the position.

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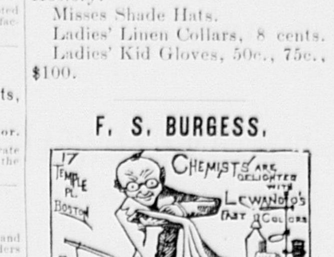

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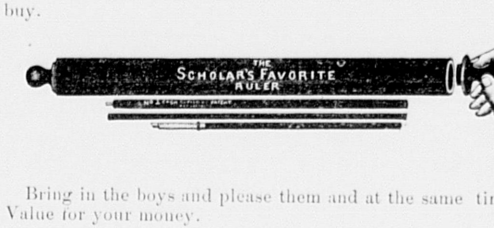

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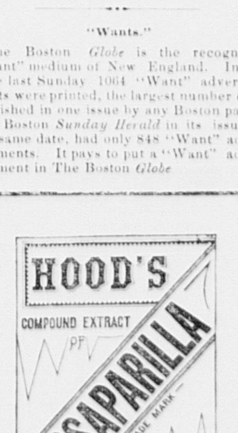
"Wants."

The Boston *Globe* is the recognized "Want" medium of New England. In its issue last Sunday 1064 "Want" advertisements were printed, the largest number ever published in one issue by any Boston paper. The Boston *Sunday Herald* in its issue of the same date, had only 848 "Want" advertisements. It pays to put a "Want" advertisement in The Boston *Globe*



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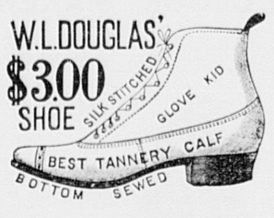

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WINCHESTER.

Rev. Mr. Perkins was appointed by the Methodist Conference last week to the church in this village.

Mr. S. C. Small has accepted an invitation to deliver the Memorial Day oration at Bethel, Maine, this year.

Henry F. Johnson is never quite contented and satisfied with himself unless he is stirring somebody up with a long pole and engineering a fuss.

Mr. Heminway has got the streets to light and he will attend to that duty in good shape. The contract was awarded to him last week by the Selectmen.

There is trouble with Architect Adams's bill for plans of the new Town House furnished the first building committee. I should think Mr. Adams ought to have his pay, and he will probably get it.

Last Friday afternoon a fire was discovered raging in the valuable wood lot of Mr. Hiram Andrews on the West Side which did a good deal of damage before hard work by the firemen succeeded in subduing it.

The Good Will Club closed their seasons entertainments on last Tuesday evening at which time was given a play in the Unitarian church called "Young Mrs. Pritchet." After it a social season was pleasantly spent by the Club and friends.

It was at first generally thought that the people composing the Hill school district were pleased with the vote of the town to establish a school there, but they are not—at least a majority are opposed to having a school set up in that district.

The school board has organized by the choice of E. A. Wadleigh as chairman; Daniel March, Jr., secretary; James Russell, prudential committee; Dr. March and Mrs. Shepard, textbook committee; A. E. Whitney and A. C. Quinby, truant officers at a salary of $30 a year. These officers will also take a census of the children in the town on the first of May.

The following appointments have been make by the Selectmen:—Field drivers, G. W. Purrington, Andrew McElhanny, W. H. Ralston, Joseph Moulton; fence viewers, Charles H. Dupee, Luther Richards; engineers fire department, Charles T. Symmes, A. Eugene Ayes, John Dix; police, J. W. Richardson, chief; night police, Thomas P. Dotten, Arthur C. Quinby; special police, without pay, Asa Locke, W. H. Ralston, H. W. Hight, H. W. Plummer, T. H. Haley, Patrick Holland; auctioneers, Josiah Hovey, James E. Byrne; sealer of weights and measures, George E. Pratt; measurers of wood and bark, George P. Brown, H. A. Emerson, A. G. Loring; measurer of leather, S. G. Maxwell; surveyors of lumber and bark, H. H. Emerson, Josiah Hovey, George W. Blanchard; weighers of coal, Charles E. Kendall, John W. Rice, undertakers, Joseph D. Sharon. John S. Sharon; public weighers, H. A. Emerson, Josiah Hovey; superintendent of street lights, John W. Hemingway; registrar of voters, Charles F. Lunt, for three years; forest fire board, Charles T. Symmes, A. Eugene Ayer, John Lynch; lockup keeper, Thomas P. Dotton.

BURLINGTON.

Thomas I. Reed, a boy, living at the almshouse, cut off the fore finger and thumb of his left hand, while endeavoring to use a hay cutter, last week. Dr. C. E. Chase dressed the wound and the boy iy recovering.

Mr. Henry Thunet, who is still suffering from injuries received last winter, by falling from a staging, at Reed's Ham Works, has received a present of seventy dollars, contributed by his friends in Burlington.

The church building committee are still active and progressive in their plans for improvement. A committee has been appointed to appraise the pews and work upon the building will probably be commenced, at an early date.

The Literary Union held a supper and entertainment in the Town Hall, April 13. "The Pedler of Very Nice" was ably represented by Messrs. T. S. Curtis, Wilbur McIntire, George Foster, Walter W. Skelton, Lester Skelton, Fred F. Rogan and Joseph Richardson. Readings were given by Miss Lizzie W. Foster and Mrs. M. E. S. Curtis, and the musical part of the programme was rendered by Messrs. J. S. Hutchinson, and T. S. Curtis, Miss Ida Tabbut, and Miss Edith Foster.

News From a Former Woburn Pastor.

When we took up the Bloomington, (Ill.) *Leader* of date April 11, the other day almost the first paragraph our eye rested on was the following concerning Easter services at the Unitarian church of Bloomington of which Rev. H. A. Westall, late pastor of the Woburn Unitarian church, is the present popular and well beloved shepherd, and thinking his numerous good friends here might like to hear from him we clipped the passage from the *Leader* and transfer it to the columns of the JOURNAL:

UNITARIAN CHURCH.

Yesterday the Uniform Rank of Knights of Pythias responded to an invitation given them by Rev. H. A. Westall a few days ago to attend divine worship at this church. At 10.15 prompt the Rank filed out of the Armory Hall on Centre street to Jefferson, and on Jefferson east to the church, commanded by Capt. F. J. Maxwell. Seats were reserved for them in front of the pulpit. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers, and especially a number of large white potted lillies in front of the pulpit, which are so dearly loved by Custer Division. The quartette singing, which was rendered by Prof. J. W. Cook, Wm. Miller, Miss Florence Eddy and Mrs. Hattie Read, was excellent. As the Uniform Rank entered the church Mrs. Sherman played an appropriate selection upon the organ.

Rev. Westall preached an excellent sermon, taking for his subject "The Risen Christ." It was one of the most eloquent and effective sermons this popular paster has yet preached, and made a profound impression on all. The church was crowded.

After the return of the Knights to their hall resolutions were adopted by them and sent to Mr. Westall thanking him for the courtesy he had shown to the members and order of the Knights of Pythias.

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The Old Folks Concert.

The "Greate Singeyng Meeting," as the Old Folks Concert at the Congregational church last Tuesday evening was called, has never been surpassed as a musical entertainment in Woburn according to the judgment of this reporter and the unanimous verdict of an audience surprisingly large when it is considered that many other interesting affairs were going on in town at the time. As a concert it was simply unapproachable both as to vocal productions and instrumental results.

If we have been correctly informed the idea of this sort of an entertainment had its origin in the brain of the esteemed organist at the Congregational church, Mr. John C. Buck, and if so he deserves the hearty thanks of our community for providing such a rich musical feast for their delectation. At any rate, Mr. Buck was one of the foremost ones in arranging for the concert although he was cheerfully and largely aided by many ladies and gentlemen of the town who had full faith that such an entertainment would "draw." Everything for it was admirably arranged for a successful issue and the long programme was carried through without a break. There has been nothing given here in the musical line for years that has afforded a great audience so much genuine delight as this Old Folks Concert. So everybody said.

There were over 100 carefully selected voices in the chorus almost any one of which would cut a respectable figure by the side of professional singers. They all looked very fine and as an object lesson in the ancient history of dress the great choir was a success. Costumes representing periods of time more or less remote, some exceedingly rich in material and trimmings, others bordering on the grotesque, and all unique and strange to the modern eye, were worn by male and female singers and, viewed from seats in the gallery or far back towards the entrance-doors of the church, a more striking and handsome picture could not easily be imagined. Mr. Buck, the chorister and tymest, was elaborately decked out in knee-breeches, velvet coat, huge waistcoat with great lappels, buckle shoes, wig, etc. and looked the old singing-school master to a dot, while others were similarly dressed and represented old times apparel to the life. The ladies were everyone robed in the styles of their great-grandmothers and among them there were not a few very rare and striking costumes. Among them Mrs. John D. Gilman's dress was very conspicuous.

After a promanade up and down the broad-aisles of the church the great choir repaired to the singing-seats when the exercises began and were kept up without the least abatement in the interest or pleasure of the audience until nigh on to 10 o'clock. The instrumental music was furnished by the Cambridge Orchestra of 25 instruments, and nothing better was ever given to a Woburn congregation. Every piece played by the Orchestra was warmly enchored, but very wisely, as in the case of the other parts, no second call, however vociferous, was heeded with anything more satisfactory than a polite obiesance. The people were delighted with the performances of this Orchestra. Its playing was artistic, selections excellent, and the pleasure it imparted complete. It was said there that they are not a band of professional players; mebby so; but it would be very hard to find professional Orchestras that could play as well, and hardly any one that could play better than these Cambridge musical gentlemen. The truth is, everyone was completely delighted with the Orchestra and spoke in the highest terms of music.

Of course old-time tunes, anthems and sacred songs were rendered by the monster chorus under the movement of Chorister Buck's baton. The singing, accompanied by the harpsichord (so the programme said) played by Mr. Awfultone Bacon, was splendid and which venerable dame or ancient sir sang the best or contributed most to the delight of the audience it would be hard to tell. "The Old Oaken Bucket" was sung by Mrs. W. O. Bacon, and Mrs. S. C. Phinney gave a beautiful solo. Both were enthusiastically applauded, especially so the Old Oaken Bucket which almost everybody knows and loves.

About 10 o'clock one of the most successful and certainly the best and most enjoyable of musical entertainments of this or any other season in Woburn came to a close and when the great crowd of people went out they congratulated each other on having been present at so unique and charming a concert.

Middlesex Teachers.

Secretary Morey of Lowell has issued a programme of exercises for the 34th annual meeting of the Middlesex County Teachers' Association which will be held at Horticultural Hall, Boston, at 9.30 o'clock, A. M., Friday, April 29. It consists of the reading of papers by prominent teachers in the county, the discussion of practical questions, class exercises by the primary section and so forth. Teachers from different places have been assigned parts, and it is expected the meeting will be a large and interesting one. All persons interested in educational affairs are cordially invited to attend.

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Woman's Club.

On Friday afternoon, April 15, the Woman's Club had the great pleasure of listening to Mrs. Mary A. Livermore deliver her lecture entitled "The Perils of the Republic."

After reviewing the various nations of the world which have been leaders of civilization she declared that America has it in her power to make a new civilization greater than the world has ever yet known, for many men of note concedes that the government of the future is to be the Republic and that America will be the leader. What are the proofs of this statement? Our vast extent of territory and our vast wealth in every essential that a leader should possess. She then spoke upon some of the dangers which assail us. The first is from immigration and yet we must have it, for the young men of the old country are anxious to escape the years of military service they are compelled to give and so fly to America as their haven of freedom. These immigrants of course earn more wages, but it does us no good, for they only use them for greater self-indulgence. The great question for us to decide is shall we let them Europeanize us, or shall we transform them into intelligent, helpful citizens.

The second danger is from the Roman Catholic Church, not as a religious organization, but from a political standpoint. It openly denounces free conscience, the free press and our system of free education. Another danger is from our vast wealth. If it should come into the power of an uneducated, brutal people this peril is indeed appalling. A fourth danger is from the fact the controlling legislative power is held by our large cities and when we reflect on the class of people wielding this power we can but realize the greatness of the danger.

The fifth is from strong drink. We all know this to be the most prolific source of crime and could it be only swept away, we might begin to see the milenium. We must not be discouraged however for there are signs of better times. If we only keep our system of free education, adding manual training, if the law can be passed allowing women to vote on the license question, if we break down the barriers between ourselves and the foreigners, and if we keep up to a high standard of of morality, we cannot help but be victorious.

The next meeting will be held in the Baptist Church, May 6, at which time Mrs. A. M. Diaz will address the Club on "True Work for Humanity."—REP.

Annual Banquet of the Board of Trade.

The Woburn Board of Trade held its second annual reception, banquet and accompanying entertainment last evening which was attended by nearly all the members with ladies. It was a notable affair. As a society party it eclipsed in brilliancy anything that has been experienced here this season.

The Board has become an important Woburn institution. It is recognized on every hand as a power for good, and at no time has it been so strong, well poised, solid on its feet, and potent in influence as at the present time. It has safely passed the second year of its existance which is always reckoned the critical period or test time of the self-sustaining ability of such organizations, from which it has emerged not only alive and well, but in better condition and with brighter prospects for a long and useful career than ever before.

About 250 tickets were issued for the reception and banquet all of which were readily taken by the members for themselves and their ladies and for distribution among invited guests. Many more tickets could have been disposed of if the limit of invitation had been enlarged. It was an occasion that many besides Board of Trade people would have been glad of the privilege of enjoying.

The reception was held in the Rooms of the Board in Bank Block at an early hour in the evening. His Excellency Governor Ames was present, also His Honor Lieut. Gov. Brackett, to both of whom the large crowd of ladies and gentlemen were formally introduced; the company also had the pleasure of meeting and greeting Superintendent Mellen, General Traffic Agent Turner, of the Boston & Lowell Railroad; officers of the No. Woburn Street Railroad Company, Representative Wadlin, and other distinguished people.

Gov. Ames and Lieut. Gov. Brackett stood during the forepart of the evening in Executive Committee's Room through which the large company filed and were courteously introduced to these distinguished guests by President Flint and then passed into the audience room of the Board. Here our people were privileged to meet and converse with several well-known Boston and home people.

The banquet was spread in Lyceum Hall and at half past seven: all fell to for a nice meal which was furnished by the well known Boston caterer Mr. Tufts. The supper was complete and to every one's taste and judgment. It was laid out in a neat and attractive style, the viands were abundant and of the best, and the serving was capital. Tufts is a favorite caterer here.

President Flint presided and introduced the various speakers to the company, the first of whom was His Excellency Gov. Ames, who gave the audience a very pleasant talk, and was followed by Lieut. Gov. Brackett in a speech highly complimentary to our town. These gentlemen were obliged to leave just before 9 o'clock to attend a military reception and ball at Cambridge.

Congressman Hayden was the next speaker and he entertained the large company for twenty minutes or so with choice and appropriate remarks which were listened to with evident pleasure by all. Dr. March followed in an excellent address, at the close of which Miss Grace Whittemore, daughter of Hon. B. F. Whittemore, favored the audience with a reading which was beautiful. Then Representative Wadlin of Reading was introduced and made a grand good speech. Superintendent Mellen of the B. & L. RR. Co. was enthusiastically received and his excellent remarks were applauded to the echo. Woburn believes in Mr. Mellen. Mr. R. J. Monks of Boston was called on and responded in a happy vein; he was followed with a neat speech on what the Board means to do and not to do, by Mr. Elderidge of Boston, which was lustly cheered. Mr. Turner, of the B. & L. RR. Co., made some very practical remarks and was listened to with interest; there was another reading; a first-rate loyal speech by Hon. B. F. Whittemore, which was warmly cheered, songs, and the close of a most delightful entertainment admirably carried out by an intelligent committee. The ushers were typical representatives of the profession, and performed their parts splendidly.

The speeches were interspersed with charming music by the Mendelssohn Quartett of Boston which is one of the leading musical organizations of the city. Of course the singing was very fine and it was equally of course that it was highly enjoyed by the large company. A couple of hours or such a matter was spent in this agreeable way between eating, oratory and music, and they sped very quickly and all too soon a delightful evening came to a close.

The JOURNAL goes to press the first thing Friday morning therefore it must be excused for this meagre report of one of the toniest, pleasantest and most highly enjoyed parties so far given in this year of grace at Woburn.

Dr. Charles H. Cragin.

Dr. Charles H. Cragin, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of West Washington, died yesterday afternoon. He was born in New Hampshire in 1817, and after graduating at Amherst College, came to this place, where he studied medicine and graduated. Dr. Cragin's life has always been one of usefulness, devoting a great portion of his time to the affairs of the place in which he so long resided. He was a member of the Board of Common Council of Georgetown, for several years, and was a candidate for mayor, but was, as he afterward said, "luckily defeated" by a small majority. He subsequently served on the school board for a long period, was one of the original members of the metropolitan police board; for several years and up to the time of his death served gratuitously as secretary and treasurer of the Columbian Hospital. Dr. Cragin was one of the first residents of this section to visit California when the discovery of gold was made, and remained there two years, in which time he founded a hospital at Sacramento.—*Washington [D. C.] Evening Star, April 2.*

The subject of the above notice was a cousin of Deacon F. K. Cragin of this town who died a few months since, and was not altogether unknown here. He was one of quite a numerous New Hampshire family now widely scattered, who were always noted for their moral uprightness and integrity of character.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; Service of praise and preaching at 7 p. m. Preparatory lecture Wednesday evening; Christian Endeavor, Friday evening.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.: young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; short sermon followed by prayer meeting at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening Covenant meeting.

North Woburn.

Rev. C. J. Staples will preach in the Chapel next Sunday evening, April 24, at 7 o'clock.

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Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a license from the Honorable Judge of the Probate Court, in and for the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction, on the premises, on

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1887,

At 4 o'clock, P. M.,

A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, it formerly being the homestead of the late DEA. BENJAMIN MILLETT, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises on the southerly side of Pleasant street, by land now, or formerly, of A. V. Haynes; thence the line runs easterly on and by the southerly side of said Pleasant street, eighty-four and eight-tenths (84.8) feet, to Court street, thence the line turns and runs on the westerly side of said Court street, one hundred and four and five-tenths (104.5) feet, to land now, or formerly, of S. Nichols; thence the line turns and runs westerly by land, now or formerly, of said S. Nichols, ninety-two (92) feet, to land now or formerly of said A. V. Haynes; thence the line turns and runs northerly by land of said A. V. Haynes, one hundred and four and nine-tenths (104.9) feet, to the point of beginning. Said premises are within two minutes walk from railroad depot, horse cars, Woburn Public Library, and churches.

$100 will be required of purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.

LEWIS L. WHITNEY, Executor.
WM. WINN & CO., Auctioneers.
Woburn, Mass., April 22, 1887.

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Woburn, April, 1887.

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Sore Eyes

The eyes are always in sympathy with the body, and afford an excellent index of its condition. When the eyes become weak, and the lids inflamed and sore, it is an evidence that the system has become disordered by Scrofula, for which Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best known remedy.

Scrofula, which produced a painful inflammation in my eyes, caused me much suffering for a number of years. By the advice of a physician I commenced taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. After using this medicine a short time I was completely

Cured

My eyes are now in a splendid condition, and I am as well and strong as ever.—Mrs. William Gage, Concord, N. H.

For a number of years I was troubled with a humor in my eyes, and was unable to obtain any relief until I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medicine has effected a complete cure, and I believe it to be the best of blood purifiers.—C. E. Upton, Nashua, N. H.

From childhood, and until within a few months, I have been afflicted with Weak and Sore Eyes. I have used for these complaints, with beneficial results, Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and consider it a great blood purifier.—Mrs. C. Phillips, Glover, Vt.

I suffered for a year with inflammation in my left eye. Three ulcers formed on the ball, depriving me of sight, and causing great pain. After trying many other remedies, to no purpose, I was finally induced to use Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and,

By Taking

three bottles of this medicine, have been entirely cured. My sight has been restored, and there is no sign of inflammation, sore, or ulcer in my eye.—Kendal T. Bowen, Sugar Tree Ridge, Ohio.

My daughter, ten years old, was afflicted with Scrofulous Sore Eyes. During the last two years she never saw light of any kind. Physicians of the highest standing exerted their skill, but with no permanent success. On the recommendation of a friend I purchased a bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which my daughter commenced taking. Before she had used the third bottle her sight was restored, and she can now look steadily at a brilliant light without pain. Her cure is complete.—W. E. Sutherland, Evangelist, Shelby City, Ky.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla,

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all Druggists. Price $1; six bottles, $5.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

OFFICE OF

BOARD OF ENGINEERS,

OF THE

WOBURN FIRE DEPARTMENT.

WOBURN, Mass., April 14, 1887.

Owing to the prevalence of Grass Fires, the Chief Engineer of Fire Department calls attention to Public Statutes.

SECT. 13, CHAP. 208. "Whoever is concerned in causing or making a bonfire within ten rods of a house or building shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars or imprisonment not exceeding one month.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

Town Clerk's Office,

APRIL 14, 1887.

Dogs Must Be Licensed

On or before May 1st, or the Owners or Keepers of them will be liable to a fine.

M. S. SEELEY, Town Clerk.

Woburn Water Board.

Important Notice!

Water takers residing in North Woburn and Central Square are hereby notified that water will be shut off on Main street, at 10 o'clock, P. M., Saturday, April 23, 1887, should the weather be favorable, for repairs.

By order of Water Commissioners,
A. P. BARRETT, Clerk.
Woburn, April 20, 1887.

Dwelling-house For Sale
IN NORTH WOBURN.

A two-story House, suitable for two families, and about 25,000 feet of land located on Main street, North Woburn. For further particulars apply to E. E. THOMPSON, at the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank.

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The New Vegetable Anesthetic for EXTRACTING TEETH WITHOUT PAIN. Also Nitrus Oxide Gas and Ether.

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Best Gum Teeth,	$8.00	Gold Fillings,	$1.00 up.
Extracting Teeth,	25c.	Silver & Cement Fillings,	50c. up.

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171 Main Street, Woburn.

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Also several other lots not mentioned here. Many beautiful novelties among them in Double Hemstitch, Block and Clear Lawn Handkerchiefs, both Colored and White.

These goods created quite a furor last spring. As the opportunity to obtain occurs only twice each year, our customers will consult their own interests by a prompt response.

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MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, Creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Margaret Gallagher, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to John H. Flynn of Boston, in the County of Suffolk:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of May next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this tenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

18-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

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From pure bred, high scoring,

LIGHT BRAHMA FOWLS.

WYER BROS., WOBURN.

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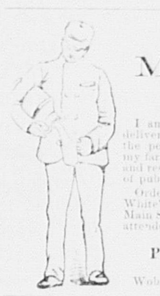

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MILK.

I am engaged in sale and delivery of PURE MILK to the people of Woburn from my farm on Cambridge street, and respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

Orders left at Buckman & White's Grocery Store, 209 Main Street, will be promptly attended to.

P. G. HANSON,

Woburn, Jan. 18, 1886.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs at Law and others interested in the estate of Rosanna Doherty, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, George Doherty, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

By license of the Probate Court for the County of Middlesex, the subscriber, executor of the will of Eliza A. Q. Stevens, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday, the twenty-third day of April, A. D. 1887, at five o'clock in the afternoon, the house and lot on Pond street, in said Woburn, belonging to the estate of said Eliza A. Q. Stevens, and bounded northerly, by said street, there measuring about seventy-two feet; westerly, on a private street, there measuring about one hundred and fifty feet; southerly, by land formerly of Moses A. Tyler, there measuring about seventy-two feet; and easterly, by land last named, there measuring about one hundred forty-seven and one-half feet.

Said lot will be sold subject to a mortgage of seven hundred dollars, with interest accrued thereon.

$100 will be required of purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.

HENRY CUMMINGS.

EDWARD F. JOHNSON, Attorney.
Woburn, April 6, 1887.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Joshua Seward, of Woburn, in said County, an insane person, now deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, John W. Johnson, the Guardian of said insane person, has presented for allowance the final account of his guardianship;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

FOR SALE.

The farm of the late LUTHER A. FOWLE, situated on Lexington street, about one mile west of Woburn Center, containing about NINETY ACRES—thirty acres of wood, the remainder divided into tillage, mowing, and pasture. The land is level, easy to work, very productive and is one of the most valuable and desirable farms in this vicinity, either for market gardening, general farming, stock raising, or dairy. The house is two story; contains nine rooms, and is in good condition. Large new barn, conveniently arranged and has cellar. The celebrated HIAWATHA GROVE, is on this farm: it is a popular resort for pleasure parties, and will yield a good income.

For further particulars inquire of
L. HOUGHTON ALLEN
East Street, Woburn, Mass.

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PIGS FOR SALE.

Nice PIGS for sale. Call on C. E. MARION, Burlington, Mass.

Woman's Column.

Two weeks ago, women in Kansas voted at municipal elections. They voted by thousands, and generally for morality and temperance. The Springfield Republican says, "The registration in the cities has been reasonably large and the new voters have gone into the active work of the campaign with a vim and spirit that has inspired the candidates on both sides with a wholesome respect. In Topeka, the Democratic candidate for re-election as mayor was summoned before a committee of women and put through a searching catechism. The mayor of Leavenworth has issued a special circular "to the ladies," protesting his intention to enforce the law. The new element in the politics of the state are looked upon as holding the balance of power and they go into the work with a clearness and directness of purpose that is refreshing. Almost universally their action has been according to the lines of these resolutions of the women of Atchison:

Whereas, the privilege of voting in municipalities has been granted the women of Kansas; and, whereas, heretofore, too many men of doubtful honesty and immoral character have been exalted to offices of public trust, therefore,

Resolved, That we the women voters of Atchison, demand that only those men be nominated for city and school offices who are recognized as persons of honesty, sobriety, and good moral character.

Resolved, That we care less for parties than for principles, and political parties that expect our votes must give us clean men for whom to vote."

A bill requiring the appointment of police matrons has been reported in the Massachusetts Legislature.

The request for womanly attendance on women in stations is not based on any improprieties there, known or asserted. The situation is, in itself, an impropriety, and the request is based on that not on occurrences. The existing state of things jars with our notions of decency; it is contrary to the usages of civilization a relic of barbarism. If it has caused no wrong. * * * Intelligent citizens, newly enlightened on the subject, exclaim in astonishment, "Can these things be? Women left to male attendance? We had no idea of it. Strange that the change asked should need to be asked. Do you say there is opposition? How can any one oppose? Which goes to show that the community probably knows more of the poor degraded Chinese women than of the thousands yearly arrested and held in durance vile close at hand. * * *

Mrs. Charpiot of the Intemperate Women's Home says she has it in black and white that of those brought under her charge fifty per cent. have been permanently reformed. Many of these were rescued from police stations. * * *

Now is the time for Massachusetts to set the example of a grand progressive movement, a movement by which this purpose of reform shall enter into the management of arrested men also? To say that any individual is beyond the reach of reform is to limit the power of the Infinite.—*Abby Morton Diaz.*

Mrs. Clara E. Howe has been elected to the School Committee in Gardner, Mass., by the largest vote ever cast for that office in that town. She had served for two years and a half and discharged the duties so acceptably that there was a general wish to re-elect her for a full term of three years. Even boys went to the town meeting and asked for ballots bearing her name that they might distribute them.

The Montana Legislature has raised the "age of protection" for girls to fifteen years.

Mayor Hewitt of New York has asked the staggering question, why when the best teachers are women they don't get the best pay?—*Boston Transcript.*

Women are employed on the staff of more than two hundred newspapers in the United States.

John Wanamaker of Philadelphia proposes to build a working woman's hotel. A few weeks ago he signed the woman suffrage petition.

Senator Anthony predicted twenty-one years ago that woman suffrage is coming. "It is coming," he said, "with the progress of civilization and the general melioration of the race and the triumph of truth and justice and equal rights."

Wonderful Cures.

W. D. Hoyt & Co., Wholesale and Retail Druggists of Rome, Ga., say: We have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery, Electric Bitters and Bucklen's Arnica Salve for two years. Have never handled remedies that sell as well, or give such universal satisfaction. There have been some wonderful cures effected by these medicines in this city. Several cases of pronounced Consumption have been entirely cured by use of a few bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, taken in connection with Electric Bitters. We guarantee them always. Sold by W. W. Hill.

As demonstrating that fish have the power of communicating with each other and also possess a degree of intelligence, a writer in the American Angler says that he has seen on several occasions small bodies of trout following the lead of an elder and acting in accordance with its movements. On three occasions he has observed a shoal of carp approached by a single congener which ultimately conducted it to another part of the pond, where a considerable quantity of food existed.

The Mystery Solved.

It has always been understood that Consumption was incurable, but it has recently been discovered that Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs is giving more relief than any known remedy. It is guaranteed to relieve and cure Asthma, Bronchitis and Coughs. Call on Charles H. Buss, Druggist, Woburn and get a trial bottle free of cost. Large size 50 cents and $1.

"Every writer should absorb his subject," says an exchange. This applies to everything but the liquor question.—*N. Y. Observer.*

As a hair dressing and renovator, Ayer's Hair Vigor is universally commended. It eradicates dandruff, cures eruptions of the scalp, invigorates and beautifies the hair, and prevents its fading or turning gray.

Letter from California.

THE "RAYMOND" SO. PASADENA, CALIFORNIA, Feb. 15, 1887.

Dear Friends:—"Thou art so near and yet far." But not "so far" as to have no tidings from this land of overgrown vegetables, stupendous fruitables, and other "unmentionables."

We left Boston on the 17th day of January in one of the new Pullmans attached to Raymond & Whitcomb's Excursion. If any one wants to travel untrammelled by trunks or care of any kind, let him go with Raymond. All you have to do is to "eat, drink, and be merry." Though we were luxuriously "fixed" in a Drawing Room, all to ourselves, in a Pullman Palace Car, it was a *pull-man* to get here. We encountered a blizzard near Troy, N. Y., which had more than "Troy weights;" the wind was dead ahead; the snow fast and furious and the train would have been a "dead head," with its one locomotive. Our motive being to proceed, an extra engine was attached, and not until three "snorters" were called in play, did we weather the storm. Our first objective point was Cincinnati, Ohio, which city we reached on Wednesday in time for dinner. We left there for Chattanooga, Tenn., about 9 o'clock the next morning. We were not sorry to leave Cincinnati. When I saw the waiter dusting off the dinner table with a fan to blow away the soot, it did not "soot" me to stay longer than I could help. Everybody appeared "sootable," for soot was everywhere. Bituminous coal is the cause of it all, and we got altogether too much "bitumenous." At Chattanooga we were driven to the top of Lookout Mountain where Hooker fought his famous "battle above the clouds." My Grand Army badge which I wore conspicuously was respected by our late adversaries, and I had many a good talk with those "who wore the grey." All seemed to be glad that "the cruel war was over" and eager for a foreign war, to enable them to show how well they could and would fight beneath the starry folds of the old flag.

Birmingham, Alabama, was reached January 22. It is a stirring city, scarcely over seven years old, but following the motto of "Go it while you're young." Its industries of iron and steel will make it one of the great centres of trade. Our train was stopped once in a while to let us see the sights, such as liquid iron running in streams and cooling into pig-iron, a cotton-press at work with its 2500 lbs. to the square inch, making the cumbrous bale compact for loading into the cars. We passed through innumerable tunnels, some being over a mile long; over dizzy tressels, that is, it made us dizzy to look down through canyons, the top of which could not be seen from the cars; over deserts, where only the cactus flourished, some growing to the height of twenty feet, where the only live things were the little prairie dogs, coyotes, antelopes, and turkey buzzards. The "Painted Cave" on the canyon of the Rio Grande is known to have been a haunt of the Comanche Indians in the old days, and its walls are covered with grotesque paintings, supposed to represent their success in battle, the number of scalps taken, etc. We reached New Orleans on Saturday in time for breakfast at the St. Charles Hotel. New Orleans is a curious mixture of French, Spanish, and English, the Creole element being conspicuous.

We left the city, on Tuesday, and visiting Galveston and Houston Texas, by the way, reached San Antonio, on Thursday, Jan. 27. We inspected the Alamo, where Santa Anna cruelly slaughtered Travis, Davy Crockett, Evans, and their little band of patriots—144 men altogether while their besiegers numbered 4000. Not one of the little band of heroes survived, and a shaft, erected to their memory, bears this significant legend, "Thermopylae had its messenger of defeat,—the Alamo had none." * * * We were "glad to get out of the wilderness" and get a taste of Southern California. And what a taste! a taste of mercury from 36 to 50 degrees above zero, cold, damp and miserable. Before we came there had been no rain since last April. Real estate was "booming," in the shape of dust going at railroad speed. We reached here, on Tuesday the first instant, and on Saturday it began to rain, and it has rained for nine days out of the fifteen. This Southern California is a perfect paradise (on paper). Every town which we have passed through has been made up of two thirds real estate brokers and land sharks, the other third being composed of those poor fools who have been victimized and sold. The orange crop will be a poor investment, for how much profit is there in raising the fruit at $1.00 a box of 200 oranges? It will not take much of a prophet to foretell what the gain will be, after waiting six years for the trees to bear, digging about every tree and irrigating, the expense of gathering, boxing and shipping, the taxes and such pray tell us. O thou who crack this country up high and the orange crop higher, why your eagerness to sell? Why don't *you* profit by these great investments? The San Gabriel Valley is a most beautiful spot, surrounded by snow-capped mountains, some of them, the Sierra Madre range, being 5000 feet above the level of the sea. You will see by the enclosed bill of fare that we have strawberries and cream,—don't envy us, for they are not fit to eat, being sour, green-looking, and entirely flavorless. Things grow fast here, for in five years, you can have an orange grove, lemon grove, apricots, etc., all grown, and the cypress hedge grown to look as if it was 20 years of age. There is a grove of Eucalyptus trees set out not five years ago, and they are as large as our trees would be, planted twenty years ago.

I cannot say I like California. Before we came here it was over 90 degrees in the shade and since we have been here the mercury has not got above 60 degrees on the warmest day. These changes are too great for a climate that has been so much praised. In the summer time it is "hot enough to roast eggs," and in the winter time it is wet enough to drown ducks. It is good weather for ducks but only a goose will be caught here the second time.

WARD BROOKS FROTHINGHAM.

F. E Barnes, 344 Fourth Ave., New York, writes:

"I have used Adamson's Balsam, as have also some of my personal friends. We found it the best remedy to be had for coughs and colds."

Literary Notices.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for May is on hand with its usual promptitude. Decidedly, so far, PETERSON for 1887 has surpassed itself. If it goes on as it has begun, this will be its jubilee-year, in point of merit. This month's double size colored fashion-plate will be greeted with extra eagerness by the ladies, as it contains several Parisian costumes wholly novel in design, and as graceful as they are original. The steel-engraving is a beauty, and the crochet and embroidery patterns are very fresh and taking. The stories, too, are exceptionally good; The Missing Link is one of the best short tales we have read in a great while. In fact the number is just a mass of good things from cover to cover; artistic beauty, literary interest, and household utility are so well combined, that there is ample choice for every taste, and a certainty of pleasing the most fastidious. Terms: Two Dollars a year, with great deductions to clubs. Address PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

ST. NICHOLAS for May opens with a beautiful frontispiece illustration, by Blum, to Catarina of Venice, the Historic Girl whose romantic history is related by E. S. Brooks; while Nora Perry, in An Only Daughter, tells of a very modern and unhistoric girl, whose story is, however, none the less interesting on that account. How many boys who whistle Marching Through Georgia knows the story of Sherman's March to the Sea? General Adam Badeau tells it in the May ST. NICHOLAS, and it reads like a tale of adventure—which in fact it is—the biggest adventure in modern times. It is illustrated by Theodore Davis, who was with General Sherman on the march, and by E. W. Kemble, W. L. Sheppard, and W. Taber. There is also begun in this number a three-part story of life at the U. S. Military Academy at West Point, by a recent graduate. It is entitled Winning a Commission, and shows how the future Sherman's of our country are being turned out. There is another collection of ST. NICHOLAS Dog Stories,—one for girls, by Celia Thaxter; one for boys, by E. P. Roe, and three for everybody by other people. The Brownies go canoeing, perhaps a little early in the season, but none the less merrily. Rose Hawthorne Lathrop contributes a clever little story, called Lindie's Portrait, with a drawing by Frank Day; Alice Wellington Rollins has a bright sketch of a Rainy May Day in Central Park, illustrated by Jessie Curtis Shepherd; there is a droll account of Dolls' Hospitals, by Hope Howard; and the first of a series of Child Sketches from George Eliot, by Julia Magruder. The serials Juan and Juanita, by Frances Courtenay Baylor, and Jenny's Boarding-house, by James Otis, contain chapters of progressive interest; and there are other contributions by Alfred Brennan, Frank Dempster Sherman, Joel Stacy, and others.

Cowardice is the habit, timidity the disposition.

The phrase brass band came into use about 1861.

Colored beads are in great demand for trimmings.

A tussle with a boarding steak is now called a "bull fight."

Capt. Charles Vernon has organized a cricket club at Cleveland.

Ned Hanlan is in active training for his coming race with Gaudaur.

The word collie as applied to dogs is derived from the Gaelic "colgach," shaggy.

Short waisted frocks, with long, full skirts, will continue to be worn by tiny girls from two to six years old.

The Paris salon this year will contain portraits of Gen. Boulanger in many different poses.

All shades of browns, especially the tan shades, dark green, navy and zinc will be worn for the simplest tailor made suits.

A monument of Stonewall Jackson is to be erected on the battlefield of Chancellorsville, where he received his death wound.

Coral has returned to favor again, and happy is she who did not exchange her necklace, bracelets, etc., for more modern ornaments.

Silk blouses for neglige wear at home are made like the sailor blouse worn by children, with a rubber in the hem and drooping below the waist.

Dr. Franz von Reber's "History of Mediæval Art" is a companion volume to an important work by the same author, "History of Ancient Art."

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PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of Sarah S. Marston, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Edward F. Johnson, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of May next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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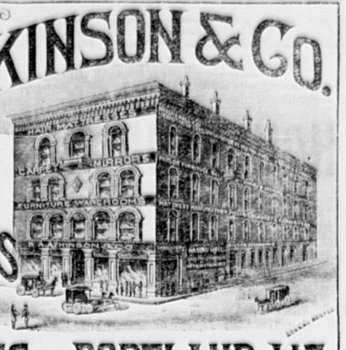

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The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands of despairing patients can testify. On this point a trustworthy medical writer says: "Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use by physicians afford but temporary benefit. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes." Ely's Cream Balm is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient.

A valuable brood mare belonging to a stock farm at Avondale, Pa., having broken her leg, the limb was amputated and the animal is doing well. This is the first case on record of such an operation in this country.

No unhealthy, disease-giving greases, common in Western soap, used in its composition.

J. C. DAVIS' Old Soap is the sweetest.

The acreage devoted to wheat in California this season is below the average, and the late grain, of which there is a large amount, is beginning to suffer from want of rain.

A paper peach basket, which can be manufactured for about four cents, has been invented by a New Yorker, and it is thought will settle the question of free baskets for peaches.

Misfortune applies to all untoward events; calamity to any great public or family rather than individual misfortune; disaster hinders progress or the accomplishment of some undertaking.

The Ohio Legislature has passed a law making a married woman's rights co-equal and co-extensive with those of her husband, as far as the acquisition and disposition of property is concerned.

The New York Health Department have within a few weeks seized ten or fifteen tons of "bob veal" while on the way to the markets or the canning factories, where it is put up as "chicken."

The representative football teams of Wales and Ireland recently played a match game at Birkenhead, England. The Welshmen were victorious.

Hanlan says that he will race Beach on the Nepean river, Australia, next fall, whether he is successful or otherwise in his match with Gaudaur.

Roscoe Conkling is favored for the next president of the New York Athletic club, vice William R. Travers, deceased.

John L. Sullivan's aggregation of sluggers are lining the pockets of both Pat Sheedy and the champion with gold.

In England no one but the queen has a "bedchamber," while in this country almost any room with a bed in it is called a bed-chamber.

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About twenty years ago I discovered a little sore on my cheek, and the doctors pronounced it cancer. I have tried a number of physicians, but without receiving any permanent benefit. Among the number were one or two specialists. The medicine they applied was like fire to the sore, causing intense pain. I saw a statement in the papers telling what S. S. S. had done for others similarly afflicted. I procured some at once. Before I had used the second bottle the neighbors could notice that my cancer was healing up. My general health had been bad for two or three years—I had a hacking cough and spit blood continually. I had a severe pain in my breast. After taking six bottles of S. S. S. my cough left me and I grew stouter than I had been for several years. My cancer has healed over all but a little spot about the size of a half dime, and it is rapidly disappearing. I would advise every one with cancer to give S. S. S. a fair trial.

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Last January I was attacked with a severe Cold, which, by neglect and frequent exposures, became worse, finally settling on my lungs. A terrible cough soon followed, accompanied by pains in the chest, from which I suffered intensely. After trying various remedies, without obtaining relief, I commenced taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and was

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The Best Remedy

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Some time ago I took a slight Cold, which, being neglected, grew worse, and settled on my lungs. I had a hacking cough, and was very weak. Those who knew me best considered my life to be in great danger. I continued to suffer until I commenced using Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Less than one bottle of this valuable medicine cured me, and I feel that I owe the preservation of my life to its curative powers.—Mrs. Ann Lockwood, Akron, New York.

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PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate under the will of Leonard Thompson, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, testate, given in trust for the benefit of Anna M. Thompson, Maria L. Thompson and Sarah M. Thompson,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Edward F. Johnson, the trustee under said will, has presented for allowance the first account of his trusteeship;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said Trustee is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at Laws and others interested in the estate of Kiernan J. Kenney, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Mary E. Kenney, Administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court her petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased described in said petition, for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

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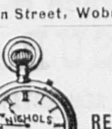

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A WOMAN'S WIT.

I used to laugh at the idea that a woman could outwit a man. I used to say that, smart as she might be, a man with his senses about him was smarter still. That she could be detected in an instant and that whatever her purpose was, she showed it so plainly in her face that no one could be deceived for a moment. And that as she could go nowhere without attracting attention and needed a male protector whenever she did anything out of the common way, such as taking a journey, or going out after dark, as she never knew how to despatch parcels or messages quietly, and had no ideas of the hours of railway trains, or the way to get anywhere or do anything legally, the man who allowed himself to be outwitted by her was little less than an idiot.

I have altered my mind now. I have been the guardian of Miss Matilda Middlebury for twenty-four hours, and I revoke all that have said. A woman cannot tie up a parcel, get to an unknown part of the world, cut anything with a knife, or give a direction properly; but when she makes up her mind to marry some one who is willing, old clovenhoof and all his imps could not baffle her. She'll have her own way.

Miss Matilda Middlebury is a young lady of twenty-two years. I, as her father's legal adviser, know her exact age. Before last Thursday I had never seen her face to face. It was this wise: There came to me, per post, a letter dated Clemence Hill, and written, as I saw at once, by some person in a violent rage. Lines all crooked. Letters any shape. This is what it said to me:

CLEMENCE HILL, Saturday.

Mr. Martin:

Dear Sir—I shall make no apology for troubling you about a matter which you will perhaps consider a little out of your sphere. I should not make any apology to the king of anywhere for asking him to pull me out of the water if I were drowning. This is a life and death matter to me; you must help me. Besides, you are my legal adviser and I want you to take the law into your own hands. That is all.

I have a daughter—Matilda Middlebury. You have made my will in her favor. It is possible that you may have to alter it yet; but that is neither here nor there. That daughter is now twenty-two years old; consequently, of age and her own mistress. She has chosen to fall in love with a contemptible good-for-nothing rascal, whom I have forbidden to speak to her again, and she is determined to marry him. She tried to humbug me, the jade, and promised to give him up but I have positive information that she intends to marry him on Thursday afternoon. All preparations are made, and the trunks packed, for a departure to Europe. I forgot to say that she is visiting a friend at —— street, New York.

The rascal comes there every evening, plays the piano, sings sentimental songs, and makes love. The other girl is in the plot, and is going to be bridesmaid. And here am I with the gout in my right foot, chained down at Clemence Hill, without a friend I dare trust in the world save you.

For heaven's sake, find me the girl. Take her into custody. Arrest her. Do what you choose with her—only don't lose sight of her until you bring her safe to me. I don't care what it costs; do it. I'm a rich man. Any bill will be considered reasonable. You have the undying gratitude of your old friend in the bargain, of course.

Matilda does not know anything about law, and is awfully afraid of it. Remember out of your sight one moment, and all is over. Thank heaven you never married and have no daughter. Yours truly,

J. P. MIDDLEBURY.

P. S. No. — —— street. Don't forget. Lady by name of Stark, wife of Dr. Stark, is the person she is visiting. J. P. M.

My friends, the man who would desert his fellow-man under such circumstances, must be lower even than the brutes. I confided the business to my partner, telling him that affairs of importance called me from home, and with a brush and comb, walked over to No. — street, without any further delay, and requested to see Miss Matilda Middlebury.

In five minutes she came into the room—a short, plump, very broad-shouldered young woman, with a turn-up nose, big black eyes, long eyelashes, and crisp, curly, black hair. Her color came and went, so that one moment her cheek was dappled with red, and the next a clear brunette tint. She had white teeth and pretty hands, and I knew by the way she looked at me that she had spirit; but I knew, also, that women are ignorant of law, and so I thought I could manage her.

"Miss Middlebury," said I.

"Yes sir," said she.

"Mr. Martin, of Martin, Grub & Co.," I said bowing.

"I am very much pleased to see you Mr. Martin," said she. "I've heard papa speak of you."

"My dearest friend—one of them at least," I said. "Your father is a man for a daughter to be proud of, Miss Middlebury."

"Yes," said she, "I suppose so. And what did papa tell you to say to me?"

"My dear young lady," said I, "do you know that you are seriously offending your good papa?"

"To be seriously offended is pa's normal condition," she replied, "so it don't much matter."

"You are aware that I made a will in your favor some time ago?" I asked.

"And papa threatens to alter it if I show any desire to please myself in anything," said Miss Matilda. "I presume he sent you here to say so. He has said it very often himself, very often indeed; and I tell you, as I told him, that money though desirable, is nothing when it stands in the way of the strongest feelings of one's life. What is the use of mincing matters? You know he objects to my marriage, but I am of age; he is unreasonable. I intend to do as I please. You have my answer."

"Madam," I said, "my message from your father is this; you are to return home under my escort at once."

"Perhaps I shall refuse to go with you," she said.

"Madam," I said, "I am prepared for that."

And then I brought in the legal hocus-pocus with which I had armed myself.

"Madam, though of age, it is necessary for you to show just cause before you can refuse to return to a parent's roof. Nine days are necessary for a quit claim. Meanwhile you are legally a minor. Pending your proof before a magistrate, I have authority to arrest you and take you home. I do so in the name of the law. I trust you will not force me to put handcuffs upon a lady's wrists, or to call in four police officers and lodge you in jail all night; but being under bond to your father, I shall be obliged to do so if you resist; otherwise, I can offer you my arm and escort you, as any gentleman might, to the railway station."

As she listened all the pretty, red color faded from Miss Matilda's cheeks.

"What a dreadful thing law is!" she said. "I had no idea such laws existed. Then I suppose I must go with you. But I'm not a baby. Show me your proofs—your papers—whatever gives you your right."

I took from my pocket a lease written on parchment and tied with red tape.

"The warrant, madam," I said.

I then turned over the edge of my waistcoat and exhibited the pin of the Jolly Good Fellows' club, of which I am a member, and said:

"My badge of office, madam."

She turned paler still, she sat down and began to cry. Suddenly she wiped her eyes and said:

"May I write a note to tell somebody why I break an engagement? And before I go down to the stupid hole where papa wants to bury me, will you go with me to the dressmaker's?"

"Certainly," I replied. To myself I said "She will plan to escape me at the dressmaker's. I must watch her there."

Miss Matilda wrote the note. She sent it off before my eyes, and without leaving the room she called a maid to bring her her lace shawl and a hat and veil. "And my pearl-skin colored gloves, Rose," she added. "And, remember, pack everything nicely."

Then, having bidden good-bye to her weeping friend, who called her papa a "brute," and who refused to be introduced to me, we started off. As we left the house I watched her closely. There was something in her face I did not like but I felt that I was master of the situation.

"Where does your dressmaker live?" I asked.

She gave me the address. It was not a store—a fashionable set of parlors in —— street. There lay the danger, and I knew it. "Miss Matilda," said I, "you will forgive me for reminding you that I cannot leave you even for a moment."

"No need to remend me of that," she answered, in a tone that was not to say the least of it, very complimentary.

We walked down the street together and I, as an elderly gentleman, felt that I might offer her my arm. She was capable, I saw, of running away at any moment, but she did not run. She sauntered slowly, staring at the shops as she went on, and making remarks about the people we passed. She carried a little bag in her hand and twirled it as she walked, in a reckless sort of manner.

What happened might have been expected. At the turn of the street a young man, dressed in respectable clothing, darted up and snatched the bag, and immediately turned and fled. However, he did not run far, for before I could utter a word, a stout policeman had darted from a shop door, seized the thief and held him, pale with terror and shaking like an aspen leaf, until we walked up.

"Your bag, misses?" asked the policeman.

"Oh yes," said Matilda. "I'm so thankful you caught him. Oh, how could you be so wicked? But perhaps I'd better let you off, young man, now I've got the money back."

"See if it is safe, miss," said the policeman.

Matilda opened the bag. "It's empty!" said she.

"What! Have you played that game?" said the policeman. "You'll have to come up to the office, miss, and make a charge. We'll search him; he must have it about him."

"I'll give it up, sir," said the young man. "Here is the money," and he handed a $10 bill to the policeman. "Oh, miss, I'm really not an old offender. Circumstances drove me to the commission of the crime. Forgive me."

"That's all humbug," said the policeman; "come along. You follow, if you please, miss. I don't consider it the duty of good citizens to let such fellows off, for my part."

"Nor I," said I. "Come on, Miss Matilda."

The policeman led the way with the young man. As we walked behind, I particularly noticed that he had a very gentlemanly appearance. New York thieves often have. My heart really bled for him. He was one who should have played a better part.

We arrived at the station and were led into a sort of private parlor, where we were asked to wait awhile, the prisoner being led away by the policeman. I saw the door of the room in which the justice sat, open; I saw the prisoner standing before him. Then it closed with a bang. In another instant the policeman returned.

"Miss," said he, "His honor wishes to see you alone. Our young man declares the affair a conspiracy against him, and you will be questioned separately. No offence, sir."

"None," said I. Then I beckoned to the policeman apart, and slipped two dollars into his hand. "Don't lose sight of the young lady until she rejoins us," I said.

"No, sir; on no account," said he. And off they went together. They were gone 10 minutes, and returned as they went. Miss Matilda had been weeping.

"The lady's evidence was all-sufficient," said the man.

"Then they have committed him?" said I.

"Yes, he's committed," said Matilda. "Oh, poor fellow! I—I'll go now, Mr. Martin."

I led her away. As we went I saw the policeman grinning after us. I couldn't think why.

We said very little as we walked on, and we were at the dressmakers in no time. Now or never would she baffle me. She might escape by the back door or the roof; how could I tell? I refused to allow her to go into the next room. I stared at her while madam—all indignation—measured her shoulders and the length of her skirt. When she went behind a screen to be "tried on" I watched her little feet below it, and when I got her out of the house I rejoiced. We caught the train by a hair's breadth. I did not doubt that she tried to miss it altogether, and all night I watched her, lest at some station she might elude me. When, twenty-four hours from our first meeting, I rang the bell of her father's residence, I was a jaded being, but I was triumphant. I walked into her father's chamber, with Matilda on my arm.

"Sir," I said, "I've done my duty. Here is Miss Matilda Middlebury."

Shall I ever forget that moment? As I spoke, Matilda turned about with a laugh.

"You've made a mistake," said she. "A married woman bears her husband's name. Mrs. Jackson, if you please. Papa, here is my certificate, and this is my ring." She drew off her gloves as she spoke, and a heavy wedding ring, which she had not worn when we started, glittered on her finger. "You were afraid of the dressmaker's house," she said. "There was no danger there. I was married at the police station. Charles was the thief. The arrest was a sham. The policeman was bribed. He merely ushered Charles into the presence of the justice of the peace, escorted me afterward into the same room, and was a witness to the ceremony.

"The law is very hard upon us young women," she added, with a meaning glance at me; "and the parchment was very imposing. But those whom God has joined no man can put asunder. And papa must forgive before my husband comes tomorrow."

I suppose Mr. Middlebury did forgive his daughter, for I never altered his will; but I went back to the city that day in such a boiling rage, that if it had been in my power to disinherit her Matilda would now be penniless.

I got over my anger long ago; and I have learned a lesson by it. It is this: A wilful woman will have her way, and no man can stop her.

Our Dumb Friends.

FOR THE FUN OF IT.

There are many people who indulge in fishing and gunning simply for the fun of it, not stopping to ask whether or not it be right to kill a creature for sport merely. However this may be, morally considered, the supposed fun of the thing is not unfrequently accompanied by the keenest feelings of remorse. A Boston boy, now an energetic business man in a Western city, tells the following story touching the matter.

I was floating around in my boat in the lower harbor one bright day in June, when a sea-gull, which on the wing is one of the most graceful of birds, but whose flesh is not used for food, came sailing over my head.

"What a splendid shot," I said, and seizing my gun, I fired at him. He fell near the boat, not dead but mortally wounded. As I drew him into the boat, suffering much agony, he turned his dying eyes upon me as if he said, "Why did you shoot me? I have done you no harm. I was enjoying myself floating in the air, as you on the water in your boat; why did you shoot me?"

Having done what I had, it would have been merciful to end his sufferings at once, but I had no more heart for killing; and the minute that passed before he died seemed an hour to me.

The remorse for that wanton shooting preyed on my spirits for days, and the remembrance of it has most effectually cured me of any desire to kill for the fun of it, any creature that God has made.

THE HORSE.

The horse comes into the world, says the *Ohio Farmer*, with his five senses in full vigor. His ears are so arranged that they can be turned to catch the sound from any direction. His nose is large and he can scent his friend or enemy a great way off. His mouth is so large that he can tell what he is eating better than you or I can. His feeling is as delicate as the touch of a blind man, and his eyes are so placed in his head that he may have a large field of vision. And yet his master who does not like to be deprived of any of *his senses*, shows a lack of even horse sense when he puts blinds on him and drives him. Why should not the horse see anything approaching in the rear as well as from the front? Why not put the blinds on him when you ride him or when you turn him out to graze? Why not hinder the proper exercise of hearing, smell or taste? The horse is the only animal save the mule that is blinded. Perhaps his (the mule's) heels might be leathered with more propriety. Blinds cover the most handsome features of the horse. What is prettier than the full hazel eye of a horse?

Nature put a handsome suit of hair on the horse, and yet men use the clippers. And what for? The man who would do so ought to be stripped of all clothing and made to stand in the cold till—well, till he could practice "The Golden Rule." All horses when warm should be well blanketed, and in fly-time, well netted, as stamping at the flies will stiffen the joints and worry the animal. It was a humane act to cease the practice of nicking and docking the tail. The horse is one of man's most useful animals and we ought to treat him kindly. Don't let us make him "go it blind" any more.—*Live Stock Journal.*

That Tired Feeling

Afflicts nearly every one in the spring. The system having become accustomed to the bracing air of winter, is weakened by the warm days of the changing season, and readily yields to attacks of disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla is just the medicine needed. It tones and builds up every part of the body, and also expels all impurities from the blood. Try it this season.

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The Depth of Degradation.

While Officer Glynn of Station 2 was patrolling his beat on Thursday he was accosted by a tall, gaunt, poorly dressed man who was drunk apparently, but walked without staggering.

"Say, Mr. Officer, will you lock me up?" he asked.

Patrolman Glynn looked at him and asked, "What is the matter?"

The man was trembling as he said, "I'm going to have the jim-jams. I've been drunk for three weeks."

"Why don't you go home?" asked the officer.

"I have no home, and I don't dare to go to my boarding house. I must get in somewhere or I'll die."

Officer Glynn told him to follow him to the station house, and there, after repeating his story, he was locked up, and slept off the effects of the long continued spree without feeling the serious consequences of the debauch.—*Boston Journal.*

Excitement in Texas.

Great excitement has been caused in the vicinity of Paris, Tex., by the remarkable recovery of Mr. J. E. Corley, who was so helpless he could not turn in bed, or raise his head; everybody said he was dying of Consumption. A trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery was sent him. Finding relief, he bought a large bottle and a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills; by the time he had taken two boxes of Pills and two bottles of the Discovery, he was well and had gained in flesh thirty-six pounds. Trial Bottles of this Great Discovery for Consumption free at W. W. Hill's.

Intelligence from the Holy Land informs us that in Jerusalem, in the streets once trod by King David, may be heard the shrill whistle of the steam engine. The city has, in the last twenty-five years, doubled its number of buildings and in other respects keeps pace with the great cities of the modern world.

A Very Narrow Escape.

"Yes, I had a very narrow escape," said a prominent citizen to a friend. "I was confined to my bed for a year and my friends gave me up for a consumptive's grave, until I began using Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, and here I am, sound and hearty." You will find it for sale by Chas. H. Buss, Druggist. Price 50c. and $1 trial size free.

Smoking.

An English journal recently offered a prize for the best argument against smoking. Following is the article for which the prize was awarded:

It is unphysiological because no animal in a state of nature uses it, and the first time a man smokes he is usually violently upset by it. When a person eats a new kind of fruit for the first time he may not like it, but it does not make him ill, as such fruit is a food. But tobacco, being a poison, nearly always causes an upset to the system. It is only by continued use that man can use it without being made immediately ill; he is made ultimately diseased by its use.

It is expensive because there is no need for it; it is not even a luxury that helps us to spend our superfluous cash harmlessly, because it causes more loss and injury than it does good. In England we spend at least £12,000,000 a year on tobacco alone; what with pipes, matches, cigar-holders, cigaret-tubes, cigaret-machines, etc., we do not spend short of £20,000,000.

It is a dirty habit. What smells worse than the breath of a smoker, than his tobacco-soaked clothes, and his rank pipe? Then the ashes from pipes, cigars, and cigarets fall on clothes, carpets, tablecloths, etc., and dirty or disfigure them. Smoking blackens the teeth, and if a pipe is smoked the teeth that holds it are worn away, and so we spoil a natural adornment—the teeth.

It is selfish, in that the person only who uses it gets pleasure from it, and that often at the expense of others. Smokers poison the air common to all by the fumes they emit. The selfishness of the smoker causes family quarrels and disputes, the husband preferring his pipe to his wife or sweetheart. It is disease-producing. It stops growth, and causes ill-developed persons if used before growth has stopped. In adults it first blunts the sense of taste, smell, and sight, and, indirectly, the hearing and touch. It always produces more or less sore throat, and often, in consequence, the worst kind of deafness—viz.: throat deafness. When absorbed into the system it causes palpitation and irregular action of the heart, and has a depressing influence on it. It delays digestion, causes nervousness, trembling of hands, indecision, loss of energy and of will power, with lowness of spirits. It deadens thought, and makes a man dull and listless instead of being intelligent and active. It causes loss of appetite, helps on cancer of the stomach, and is the active cause of most cases of cancer seen on the lower lip, which is rarely seen except among smokers. It also lessens the vitality, and wounds heal less rapidly amongst smokers than amongst non-smokers. It wastes time and energy. It wastes energy as it depresses the vital powers, and uses up itself, life and power that should be used for helping on mankind. It leads to drinking. Smoking always causes a dryness of the throat, and the saliva ejected is fluid lost to the system; to relieve both these conditions fluids are taken. As tobacco is a nervine depressant alcohol is often used to get rid of this depressed feeling. Statistics of temperance friendly societies show that smokers break away from their pledge in greater numbers than non-smokers do.

It leads to loss of property, goods, and lives, by the fires which originate by lighted ashes from pipes, by lighted cigar ends, or matches used by smokers. The loss in this country by fire traceable to smoking is very large.

General Sheridan has taken to using Indian clubs to reduce his weight.

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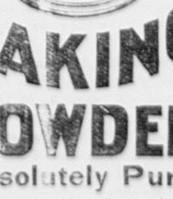

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ It is doubtful if a more inefficient body of law-makers than the present has occupied a seat under the gilded dome at Boston in modern times. Massachusetts has had some pretty poor Legislatures in her day but good judges of the article pronounce the one now in session the cap-sheaf. The trouble seems to be with the Senate. The House has originated many useful and important measures and put them through with commendable speed only to have them killed in the Senate. The House keeps right along up with the times in matters of law-making and if the same could be truthfully said of the other branch the State might possibly have something in the shape of statutes to be thankful for when the Legislature gets through with its work next summer. By reason of ignorance, timidity or general cussedness the Senate has thrown out or otherwise made way with all bills that have come before it for the promotion of the temperance cause which is enough to condemn it utterly, to say nothing of the Beverley division cloud it just now rests under, and other things quite as serious and worthy of investigation. The Tenement-house bill was killed in the Senate, so was the Woman's Municipal Suffrage bill, and the constitutional prohibitory amendment and License Limitation bill shared the same fate. These were all measures of the first importance, wanted and asked for by a large majority of the people of the State, and yet they were slaughtered by the Senate, the labors of the House brought to naught, and the friends and advocates of temperance mocked. As in this particular so in others the upper house of the present Legislature has been indifferent to public sentiment, ignorant, or some thing worse.

☞ To-morrow will be Arbor Day duly set apart by Gov. Ames by proclamation in compliance with a law enacted last year, and he hopes it will be properly observed in letter and spirit. The proclamation contains this passage which will be heartily approved by all patriotic people of our beloved Commonwealth: "Especially do I suggest that in every town and city of the Commonwealth some street or other public way be selected, and that therein be planted trees in memory of those who died for the preservation of their country, that each of these heroes may have a living memorial which year by year shall increase in magnitude and in beauty."

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

T. I. Reed—Hams.
S. R. Niles—"Globe"
W. P. Cutler—For Sale.
S. Grover—Piano-tuning.
S. B. Goddard—For Sale.
Duncan Clark—Minstrels.
The Novelty Co.—Canoes.
Y. M. C. A.—Entertainment.
Lawrence Reade—Undertaker.
Unitarian Society—May Party.
Mrs. C. A. Pierce—Closing Out.
Baptist Church—Entertainment.
Friday Night Club—Entertainment.
Town of Woburn—Assessors Notice.
J. T. Freeman & Co.—Machine Forging.

— Stoves stored for the season by C. M. Strout.

— Mr. H. N. Conn offers some good house lots for sale.

— It has not been any warmer than the law allows this week.

— Try one of T. I. Reed's Burlington hams, they make a fine relish.

— Capt. Simonds was presented with an elegant easy-chair by the Phalanx last evening.

— McGrory's saloon on Broad street was robbed of some beer and cigars a few nights since.

— Mr. Greenwood is preparing to build two Queen Ann cottages on Greenward Avenue.

— Read William Winn & Co's advertisement of sale of Mrs. A. P. Richardson's real estate.

— John Boyle has been appointed Highway Surveyor, or Street Commissioner by the Committee on Highways.

— There was a new moon last Saturday and it was a "wet" one, so look out for a plenty of rain this month.

— Notice in our advertising columns that Mr. W. P. Cutler offers a nearly new, firstclass parlor organ for sale.

— Those who use the T. I. Reed's Burlington hams prefer them to any other.

— Baldwin's Band, celebrated for its splendid music, will play at the May Party in Lyceum Hall this evening.

— T. P. McGowan of the *Boston Pilot* was in town this week soliciting subscriptions for that excellent paper.

— When Mrs. C. A. Pierce advertises that she is closing out she means business. Read her card in this paper.

— Major McDonald has returned from Cincinnati and it is said he and his family have come to stay. Hope so.

— The ladies Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. propose to hold a strawberry festival on the evening of Decoration Day.

— There will be a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trade next Tuesday evening at the Board's Rooms.

— The sprinkling of the streets by Charlie Buckley of late has been highly commended by those who have reaped benefits from it.

— The entertainment to be given at the Unitarian church by the Friday Night Club on the 6th prox. well be worth attending.

— Mr. Cyrus Lamb is engaged in the manufacture of door and window screens of the best quality which he offers to sell very low.

— There will be a supper and entertainment at the Methodist church on Tuesday evening, May 3rd. It should be liberally patronized.

— The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet in the Young Men's room of the Baptist Church, on Monday, May 2, at 3 P. M.

— The May Party at Lyceum Hall this evening will eclipse in beauty and elegance all former efforts of the Unitarians in this direction.

— The Unitarians will give their annual May Party in Lyceum Hall this evening. Baldwin's famous Orchestra will furnish the music.

— The Stoneham Street Railroad Company has petitioned the Legislature to have its name changed to Eastern Middlesex Street Railroad Co.

— Mr. Robert Duncan, proprietor of the large currying establishment near No. Warren street, has been South for rest and recuperation.

— We advise everyone who can conveniently do so to attend the Friday Night Club's entertainment at the Unitarian church next Friday evening.

— As a lightning charcoal sketcher Prof. Mohr, who will give an entertainment in the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. next Monday evening, can't be beaten.

— Messrs. Skinner & Co. are putting in foundations for a large addition to their leather establishment which is already one of the most extensive in town.

— There was another rain storm last Saturday night which was followed by the melodious croak of the frog and a snow storm on Tuesday. This spring beats them all.

— Lest it should escape the eye of some reader of the JOURNAL, which is not probable, we direct attention to an article about a circuit railroad published in another column.

— The hen-roosts of Rag Rock have been visited this week by dogs or some other animals and the life of a large number of valuable fowl have been compelled to bite the dust.

— Capt. George A. Simonds of the Mechanic Phalanx resigned some two weeks ago or more and the Company held an election last evening at the Armory to fill the vacancy.

— Curtis advertises special bargains at his famous Bazaar this week. After reading his advertisement it would be a good plan to visit the Bazaar and look over the piles of goods there.

— Messrs. Julius F. Ramsdell & Co., leading Woburn tanners, are making arragements to enlarge their establishment this spring. which indication of prosperity we are glad to chronicle.

— Clothesline theives made several quite large hauls of women's underwear over at Montvale last Saturday night. No clew, although it is probable the thieves are not more than a thousand miles away.

— Mr. Lawrence Reade has a card card in this paper to which we direct attention. He has been an undertaker in Woburn a good many years and will continue the business in the same good style as heretofore.

— Hurry up and get your money ready to pay for having your dog licensed next Monday. The *Advertiser's* neck must bow to the yoke on that day unless his pup dies before, which it would be a godsend if he would.

— By their card in this paper it will be seen that J. T. Freeman & Co. have erected a building in connection with their machine shop and are now prepared to do all kinds of machine forging as well as other work in their line.

— The contractors will begin work on the Stoneham Street Railroad early next week. Difficulty in getting certain irons in New York has delayed the beginning somewhat, but it will now be rushed through with railroad speed.

— If life and health are spared, Dr. Defriez and family will start for Europe on the 6th of August next and remain abroad a year, during the larger part of which time the Doctor will study in the best of the German universities.

— Woburn is anxious to play Boston for a purse of good size. Mr. Winslow will probably accommodate the Tanners after the tournament games are finished.—*The Record.* Talk enough! Bring on your Bostons if you want them whipped.

— The Merrimac Chemical Company, one of the most important manufacturing establishments in town, has in the last fews months increased its producing facilities and powers more than fifty per cent and is at present in the most flourishing condition.

— Thomas H. Hill, Esq., is now engaged in the insurance business with a guarantee of more money per annum than local office-holding in Woburn could possibly yield him. He is doing firstrate with an excellent future prospect for business.

— Mishawum Lodge, No. 61, A. O. U. W., will celebrate the first anniversary of its organization on the 11th of May next. The banquet will be served in G. A. R. Hall. Mr. Fred C. Ingalls, G. M. W. of Mass., of Boston, will be among the invited guests.

— Last Saturday night Mr. George H. Deland was set upon by a couple of fellows on Salem street near Walnut Hill station when going home from the Centre and quite roughly handled. The assailants were doubtless a couple of rum-crazy chaps from Stoneham where a great many of that kind reside.

— We have been informed that the first day of Mr. Cummings's symposium which was yesterday was a great success, so it is fair to presume that a large crowd of ladies will visit his store to-day. They find these social meetings over tea and the fashions very pleasant and profitable and therefore patronize them. The display of bonnets, hats, ribbons, laces and silks is perfectly elegant and a hundred per cent larger than ever before seen in Woburn. It is really splendid. The rooms are beautifully decorated for the occasion.

— Mr. Elmore A. Pierce has not been heard in miscellaneous readings in Woburn for over six years. During that time he has made great improvement and has read before some of the largest and most select audiences in the country. All should hear him at the Baptist church, Thursday evening, May 5.

— Col. Grammer was a committee appointed by the Board of Selectmen to move the hydrant standing east of the Common, under the great elm, back where it was taken from some years ago, and soon set men at work on the job. It was dangerous to teams as located before this change, too near the street railroad tracks, and an eye-sore at the best.

— WOBURN'S REIGNING SENSATION. —Our amusement-seekers will be gratified to learn that Duncan Clark and his monster female minstrels will hold high carnival at Lyceum Hall on Monday, May 2, for one night only. The above engagement will be looked forward to with special interest to make this Woburn's event of the amusement season.

— Francis L. White, formerly of Woburn but subsequently a citizen and member of the Common Council of Boston, was placed on trial again in the Superior Court of that city on charges of forging and altering money receipts. Mr. Theophilus King of Quincy, junior member of the leather manufacturing firm of Bryant & King of Woburn, is the complainant.

— Last Wednesday morning Mr. F. H. Lewis received an application from an assistant instructor in the Boston School of Oratory for a position in his "Woburn Conservatory of Music," which was addressed to him as "President" of that institution. So much for judicious advertising! Mr. Lewis's school is gaining a reputation abroad, and is favorably known in Boston.

— The talk about Chief McIntosh declining the office which has been going the rounds this week had no foundation whatever. He had no idea of doing such a thing but made up his mind to stick from the start, and to that end he has qualified for the office in due and regular form. The stories were probably started by somebody who does not want to see McSweeney back on the force again.

— The cannon presented to Woburn by the general government ought to be placed on the corners of the Common, outside of the rail, after the picket enclosures, put there to preserve the greensward, are removed. They would look nice planted on those bits of lawn and would be as safe from disturbance and harm as if set up inside the iron rails. Who seconds the motion?

— A donkey party was given by Miss Flora Nichols at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Nichols, on Warren street, last Saturdey afternoon, which was highly enjoyed by her and the dozen or more youthful guests. The hours were pleasantly spent in games, music, recitations, etc., and at a suitable hour a nice supper was served and partaken of by the girls. These donkey parties are quite the style just now.

— Manager Carter of the Skating Academy keeps things stirring up there. On Wednesday evening of this week the Jordan, Marsh & Co. polo team of Boston, and the Woburn High School polo team played a smart game up on the hill; to-night Gilcreast Hook & Ladder No. 1 and Perham Hose, No. 1, are advertised to try titles which will be an exciting game. The Grand Carnival will come off on May 4, for which extensive preparations are being made.

— Licenses to sell rum expire, as a rule, this week, and from and after Monday next for the space of a twelvemonth the article will not be legally exposed for sale in this town. There will be weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth among some people, but the officers of the law will be expected to see that there are no violations of the liquor law and will be held responsible for all that may occur if the same are not promptly and successfully prosecutep.

— Mr. A. A. Ferrin has established a necktie factory in Allen's block and is making a success of it. He employs several girls in the factory at the present time and if the demand for his goods increases, as is bids fair to do, he will soon erect a suitable building for the business. Mr. Ferrin also carries on his establishment for the manufacture of oil-cloth goods. Both of these are worthy of the good graces of the Board of Trade and are likely to grow into extensive manufactories.

— The card was dated last Wednesday and addressed to the editor of the JOURNAL by name. It read in this way: "The editors and reporters of the *Boston Globe* request your attendance at the *Globe's* house-warming in the new building, Room 86—7, Sunday, May 1st, between the hours of three and seven P. M. (signed) A. A. Fowle, Managing Editor," for which courtesy of course we return thanks, and with them the hope that the *Globe* may enjoy a long life and a merry one.

— Last Sunday Mr. Bela B. Haskell, the grandfather of the junior proprietor of the Globe Clothing Co. in Trull Block, died at Monticello Seminary, Illinois, of which a daughter of his is at the head, at the advanced age of 82 years. He was a prominent citizen of Waldoboro, Maine, where he was cashier of the same bank for 32 years and Isaac Reed its President during the same period, but for the last few years has resided with his daughter in Illinois, and died there as stated.

— The music committee of the First Baptist Church has arranged for a most excellent entertainment to be given in the body of the church, Thursday evening, May 5, for the benefit of the music fund. It will consist of whistling solos by the far-famed Miss Ella Chamberlin, humorous and dramatic readings by Mr. Elmore A. Pierce, brilliant piano solos by Mr. John Francis Gilder, etc. This promises a rare treat. The artists mentioned are well known to our people to be among the finest before the public. Miss Chamberlin will give her best numbers, Mr. Pierce will be heard in new selections, and Mr. Gilder will play some of his most brilliant and popular compositions. Tickets will be 25 cents, with reserved seats at 35 cents.

— We call especial attention to the announcement of the Y. M. C. A. of an entertainment to be given by Prof. Mohr under the auspices of the Association in their Hall, on next Monday evening, at 8 o'clock. It is safe to say that it will be a good one for Prof. Mohr has no peers in his combined line of amusements. The frequenters of the great Charitable Mechanic Fair held in Boston three or four years ago will remember the exhibitions given by the Professor to thousands of people and the fun and pleasure those exhibitions gave, and he is better now than then if such a thing can be. But be sure and attend this entertainment of the Y. M. C. A.

— Lewis L. Whitney, Esq., Executor of the will of the late Deacon Benjamin Millet, advertises this week to sell the real estate of said deceased on Pleasant and Court streets at auction on May 12, next. The property is among the most desirable in town for residence purposes and will doubtless fetch a handsome price. It is within two or three minutes walk of the depot of the B. & L. RR., equally as handy to the street cars which will soon run directly by the estate, the Public Library is less than a stone's throw away, and the site is as sightly and pleasant as anything can be. At its tax assessment the place will yield a handsome return as an investment.

— A petition is in circulation asking the Selectmen to reappoint Mr. Fred B. Leeds Inspector of Milk and Vinegar. He filled the office two or three years to the satisfaction of everyone, at little more than nominal expense to the town, and it was a great surprise to almost everybody when the Board appointed the Chief of Police, who does not and is not supposed to know anything about the inspection of milk and vinegar, to the responsible position. A faithful discharge of the duties of the office by Mr. Leeds has raised the average standard of milk in this town several degrees and has been of great value to the consumers. Besides all which to make the Chief of Police the Inspector will cost the town a great deal more for tests and inspection than it has during the last two years.

— At the regular meeting of the School Board held last Tuesday evening all the members were present except Harlow, Aldrich and Trull.——Voted, That all teachers who wished to attend the 34th annual meeting of the Middlesex Teachers Association to be held at Horticultural Hall on April 29 and 30 might close their schools and do so; if any did not want to attend they must stay at home and teach.——Mr. Marshall was instructed to purchase music for the High School annual exhibition; and it was decided to hire an orchestra for that occasion.——The Salary of the Truant Officer was fixed at $400 per annum.——The communication received from Mr. Martin Hayward was referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies with full powers.——Bills referred to auditor. Adjourned.

— We take the following paragraph from a *Tribune* report of a musical party given at Cambridge a few evenings since because it contains a good word for a fair patron of the JOURNAL who is a talented young lady not wholly unknown to Woburn people—Miss Lillian Bullock: "A feature of the entertainment scarcely less attractive was the violin playing of Miss Lillian Bullock, who was accompanied by Mrs. Ole Bull on the piano. Miss Bullock is a young lady of this city who has recently returned from her musical studies in Germany. Her performance on Tuesday shows that she has talent of no common order, which ought to make her services in demand at social gatherings, and on more public occasions where music forms a part of the programme."

— At the Novelty Company's factory located at 161 Main street a considerable industry now carried on is the manufactura of canoes, some twenty-five of which have been built there within a recent period. The Company's canoes bear an excellent reputation among watermen and rowing gentlemen and the damand for them is so brisk just now that it is with some difficulty it is met. The canoes are neatly gotten up, chiefly wrought from canvass, trimmed with light and dark cherry, and will cut the water like a duck. The larger part of them recently built by the Novelty Company have been for the Woburn Canoe Club, and the rest have been made on orders from out of town Canoe Clubs, and they give great satisfaction to all aquatic sportsmen.

— The last public entertainment of the Friday Night Club for the present season will be given at the Vestry of the Unitarian Church on Friday evening, May 6, and it is the intention of the management to make it one of the best that the Club has presented. An interesting and novel feature of the programme will be "The Cradle Songs of Many Nations." They will be sung by Mrs. S. C. Phinney, and illustrated by tableaux on the stage. The second part will consist of the new and bright commedietta, "Young Mr. Pritchard" which will be cast as follows;

Henry Pritchard,	Mr. Wm. F. Davis.
Edith,	Miss F. Alfreda Johnson.
Miss Hetty,	Miss Edith Platts.
Miss Betty,	Miss Alice Grammer.

The price of admission will be fifteen cents.

— The Chautauqua Circle was, for a wonder, deprived, last Tuesday evening, of its accustomed Secretary, Miss Nellie E. Hayward, who was absent from town on a visit. Her place was very efficiently filled by Miss Skinner. And now is a good time to say of Miss Hayward, that her skill and fidelity have been highly appreciated, through all her official connection with the society. Her graphic reports of each previous gathering have been eagerly listened to, always reproducing in a very clear though concise manner, all the important doings and sayings. And her unvarying punctuality under all imaginable circumstances has been almost without a precedent. The talk of the evening was given by Mr. J. E. Cornelius, the veteran agent of the New England Mutual Life Insurance Company. What this gentleman does not know concerning the principles and the workings of Life Insurance is not worth knowing, and the matter was fully shown by him in an easy and conversational style to the great pleasure and profit of his hearers.

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Special Meeting.

The Board of Selectmen held a special meeting on last Wednesday evening at which all the members were present. Mr. Chairman Skinner presided over the deliberations and Clerk Ferguson was at his post. Considerable business was transacted.

The petition in favor of the appointment of ex-regular Mr. C. H. Kean, numerously signed by prominent citizens, was received and referred to Police Committee.——License to maintain Carter's Skating Academy was granted to the proprietor, Mr. William E. Carter.——Messrs. W. W. Hill and Charles H. Buss, druggists, applied for 6th class, or druggists, license. Referred to Police Committee.——The Clerk was instructed to notify the abuttors on Pine street of intention to widen that thoroughfare.——Lawrence Reede was appointed Undertaker.——Charles Wyer was appointed Special Policeman without pay.——The resignation of Bryan McSweeney from the force of Regular Policemen was accepted.——The contract with the Wheeler Reflector Company for lighting streets was approved.——Adjourned to Friday evening, April 29 at 7.30 o'clock.

Fire Company Elections.

Perham Hose No. 1.—Foreman, Joseph C. LaRock; Assistant Foreman, William F. Downey; Clerk, P. H. Coughlin; Treasurer, H. F. LaRock; Standing Committee, W. G. Lawrence, W. E. Mooney, B. F. Story.

Vidette Hose No. 2.—Foreman, Charles Eaton; Assistant Foreman, Alvin T. Green; Clerk, A. W. Green; Treasurer, Sylvester Call; Steward, Edward Nichols; Standing Committee, S. Call, P. M. Warland, Edward Nichols.

Charles Porter Hose No. 4.—Foreman, Henry W. Hooper; Assistant Foreman, Lawrence Martin; Clerk and Treasurer, James L. McNulty; Steward, Sylvester Murray.

Clinton Hose No. 6.—Foreman, G. H. Newcomb, Assistant Foreman, W. R. Newcomb; Clerk and Steward, G. A. Boutwell; Treasurer, C. J. Dean.

Gilcreast H. & L. No. 1.—Foreman, F. H. Leathe; Assistant Foreman, Edward C. Stowers; Clerk and Treasurer, G. W. Nichols; Standing Committee, F. H. Leathe, E. E. Stowers, and W. R. Greenleaf.

"A Woman's Foe."

The Boston *Globe* will occupy its elegant new building next Monday, May 2, on which day it will issue a souvenir number, handsomely illustrated. On the same day a new French story by Emile Richebourg, author of "A Dead Man's Millions," entitled "A Woman's Foe; or, Henriette's Strange Love," will be begun in *The Boston Daily Globe.* Every one in this locality who is not now a regular reader of *The Boston Daily Globe* should be so beginning next Monday.

Building in Woburn this Spring.

In default of a more elaborate compilation this week we beg leave to report that the building of residences is going on here in a lively manner with a prospect of a considerable larger business in the line this summer than was done last. The spring opens well for carpenters, masons, painters, etc., yet work hasn't fairly begun. Mr. George W. Kimball is now engaged on ten new buildings with large gangs of hands and has contracts for three or four more which he will soon commence on. Mr. Thomas Corbett, senior, has at work for him on several buildings 29 hands which are scattered in gangs over the town. On Cleveland Avenue some new houses are in course of erection and foundations of others will be laid in the course of a week or two. Mr. W. H. Cummings has sold or rented all the residences built by him on his land on Cleveland Avenue and is looking around for more. Through his good business sense and energy the Avenue has become quite populous and what was a barren waste a few years ago has become a pleasant part of the town. Dr. Conway's houses on Pleasant street are nearly completed and others will be built.

Mr. George E. Fowle employs quite a large number of men and although he has no contracts for building houses on hand he finds a plenty of employment for them in different sections of the town. He has also made estimates and submitted proposals for some residences the contracts for which may or may not fall to his lot. Mr. Perham and other carpenters are busy either in putting up new structures, finishing winter jobs, or repairing, and all tell the same story about the activity in building and the prospect for a rushing business this season.

There is an evident movement hitherward again this spring by people who live elsewhere and the signs all point to a larger increase in population than in any former year. The rare inducements which Woburn offers for settlement and residence are becoming more and better understood by people seeking suburban homes and as its merits are more fully realized the more rapidly does its population increase. And it is the opinion of the JOURNAL, based on good authority, that this pleasant, thrifty and altogether desirable old town will grow faster and more than ever before this coming summer.

Birthday Party.

At the close of the meeting at the Congregational vestry on last Wednesday evening nearly one hundred ladies and gentlemen, including those present at the meeting and others who were cognizant of the arrangements, quietly dropped in on Dr. and Mrs. George S. Dodge at their pleasant home on Main street and paid them a friendly visit. They had learned that Wednesday was the Doctor's fifty-second birthday and concluded to celebrate it in modest style but in a manner to exhibit their regards and friendly sentiments towards him and his wife. It is more than likely Dr. and Mrs. Dodge were somewhat surprised, although it was in no sense to be regarded a surprise party as such affairs go.

The company took along with them ice cream, cake and other nice edibles from which an excellent repast was obtained by all present. Dr. March made a few congratulatory remarks in which he voiced the friendly feelings of the company and community for the Doctor and his family, wished them long lives and happy ones, to which Dr. Dodge replied in a happy vein, as is his wont on similar and other occasions. Both the Doctor and Mrs. Dodge were evidently effected by this spontaneous and cordial exhibition of the good feelings of their neighbors and the townspeople towards them, more so because it was unlooked for.

A very pleasant evening was spent by all present and at a seasonable hour the party broke up.

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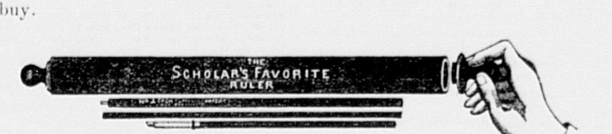

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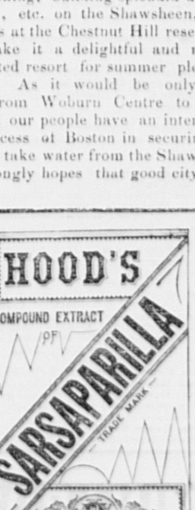
The Shawsheen.

A large delegation of the Boston Water Board stopped and took dinner at the Central House here one day last week when on their way to the Shawsheen river to look into the matter of water supply from that source. They with others and a legislative committee expected to be here again yesterday but sent word that the visit was postponed for a few days. Woburn hopes Boston will obtain the Shawsheen for its water supply, although the prospect to secure the passage of an act by the present Legislature is not brilliant. It looks as though the other side had the most money to put out in the shape of "retainers" and would therefore beat Boston in the contest. But Boston has the merits of the case on its side and sooner or later will derive its water supply, or as much of it as may be necessary, from that source. If the right is granted the city will lay out a great deal of money in beautifying, embellishing, building splendid drives, avenues, etc. on the Shawsheen, just as it has at the Chestnut Hill reservoir, and make it a delightful and much-frequented resort for summer pleasure parties. As it would be only four miles from Woburn Centre to such grounds our people have an interest in the success of Boston in securing the right to take water from the Shawsheen and strongly hopes that good city will win.



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In Woburn, April 21, Albert Butman, aged 46 years, 3 months.
In Winchester, April 20, Mary A. Bridge, aged 67 years, 4 months.
In Boston, April 22, Charles Logan, aged 25 years. Formerly of Woburn.

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WINCHESTER.

The Common is under the management of A. D. Hunt.

Emma A. Stone teaches the Hill district school with its five pupils.

Mr. John Maxwell has decided to rebuild his tannery at an early day.

The old round-house has been razed to make room for additional railroad tracks.

The Church of the Epiphany (Episcopal) cleared $300 by holding a kermes, which was a big thing.

The Unitarian Society will give a May party on Saturday afternoon in the Church vestry. They will erect and dance around the May-pole and have a good time generally.

Hereafter, according to all reports, the voters of the town will be divided into "Ayer" and "Twombly" factions and fight for the supremacy in town affairs.—*Globe*. In a horn!

With the close of April Mr. Joseph D. Sharon will sever his official connection with the Unitarian church of which he has been the efficient and esteemed sexton ever since it was built.

Mr. Stephen O'Meara, editor of the Boston *Journal*, President of the Boston Press Club, and one of the brightest newspaper men in the State, gave an address on "Journalism" before the Fortnightly Club at 3.30 o'clock last Monday afternoon. He handled his theme in a way that could not help but be interesting.

Items of news and notices are frequently received at this office from Winchester too late for publication the same week and this is to notify our friends and correspondents down there that to insure prompt publication all notices, articles, items, etc., must reach us by the Thursday noon previous to publication day.—EDITOR OF JOURNAL.

The officers of the Good Will Club for the current year, recently elected, are: President, Samuel S. Symmes; Vice President, Lewis Parkhurst; Treasurer, Alice F. Symmes; Secretary, Almira Harrington; Directors, Charles A. Cutter, Edward Metalf, Francis H. Nourse, Edward Shattuck, Mrs. L. A. Bradbury, Mrs. Charles W. Gray, Mrs. Fred Winsor, Miss Mary S. Spurr.

Mr. Henry F. Johnson has petitioned the Selectmen for a special Town Meeting before May 1, to raise money for the Swanton street bridge expenses and other matters. In his petition he sums up the heavy tax burdens of future years in this town and warns the voters that they should raise money for the above bridge purpose this year—no credit and giving promises to pay in Henry's financial vocabulary.

The Winchester Savings Bank held its annual meeting for the election of officers, etc., on the 19th instant when Mr. Thomas P. Ayer was re-elected President, and Mr. William H. Brewer Clerk. With two exceptions, D. O. Blanchard and Dr. Winsor, who declined, the Board of Trustees were re-elected. A semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent was declared, and Albert S. Hall was chosen Solicitor. This bank is one of the best managed and safest in the State, and it is prosperous.

The horse railway company has made no beginning on the extension as yet, though the townspeople, as a whole, are now anxious to have it begun and finished.—*Riverside News*. It is quite probable that the Street Railroad Co. may let our folks "sweat" awhile over the extension of their line. Some of our people were so nice and particular about it last year that they could not endure the idea of this beautiful village being ruthlessly invaded by a street-car line and now those same people are the most clamorous for the extension, but it is highly probable they will have to do without it for one year longer to say the least. When they undertook to buck against the Company they showed a lack of wisdon, as they have more than once on other important matters. I'll bet a shad that the N. W. S. R'y line won't run an inch further this way this season, when we might just as well have had it as not.

The Rev. B. Fay Mills, the evangelist is, by invitation of the churches, to begin work here on Sunday May 8th. There seems to be but one opinion of the man. Substantially the same things are said of him wherever he goes. Thoroughly educated, and for nine years a successful pastor he has during one year of purely evangelistic labor shown a rare adaptation and power in the work of leading men to Christ. The following, clipped from a journal published in Passaic, N. J., where Mr. Mill is now preaching, is in no sense extravagant:

"The Rev. B. Fay Mills is a young man, apparently not over thirty-five years of age, of medium height, with light hair, piercing gray eyes, and a mouth indicative of unusual firmness and decision. His voice is clear and strong and his words are pronounced with a peculiarly distinctness and penetrating power. His elocution is easy and graceful, and while always full of vivacity, and at times rising to the most impassioned earnestness, he never becomes sensational. He is never for a moment tame; nor does he ever rant.

It is evident to any thoughtful onlooker that Mr. Mills does not aim at mere spasmodic and ephemeral religious excitement in his work, that he believes in grappling with men's consciences and judgments as well as in touching their hearts; and that he deems it very desirable to have people that get 're-vived,' get so deeply and genuinely revived as to stay so."

A Souvenir Number.

The new building of the Boston *Daily Globe* is now completed and will be occupied by that enterprising newspaper on next Monday, May 2. On that day the *Globe* will issue a souvenir number, illustrated, giving a sketch of the new building and a history of the paper. It will be a number every man, woman and child should read and preserve. All of our readers are cordially invited to visit the new *Globe* building the next time they go to Boston.

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— AT THE —

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Take a run through our establishment and look at our fine stock of DRESS GOODS.

The Board of Trade's Annual Election

The regular date for the general election of officers of the Woburn Board of Trade was last week but on account of the consumption of time by the annual banquet the business was postponed to last Tuesday evening when the meeting again assembled and the election was held without hitch or break.

A goodly number of the members were present and they were all prominent business men. Manufactures, trade, the mechanic arts, professions, etc., were well represented and a degree of harmony and good fellowship pervaded the deliberations and actions which was pleasant to witness and share. It was a sure augury of grand deeds in the future and everyone felt it to be such. Up to the hour of making choice of new officers President F. A. Flint occupied the chair and Secretary H. N. Conn was as courteous and obliging as ever. In the fore part of the evening several committees made reports and had them properly disposed of. The committee on annual banquet reported by its chairman, Mr. F. H. Lewis, which was very satisfactory and was accorded a vote of thanks. One thing it was gratifying to witness, and that was a hearty and unanimous vote of thanks to Miss Whittemore for her very fine readings—voluntary and valuable contributions to the pleasures of the annual banquet; and to Mr. G. R. Gage for the prompt and admirable manner in which he provided for the floral decorations of the tables, etc. They both richly deserved the high compliment paid them by the meeting. Miss Whittemore is a daughter of Hon. B. F. Whittemore, second Vice-President of the Board of Trade, and although young very few elocutionists can fairly claim to be her equals.

At last the hour for voting for next year's officers of the Board came round and it was found that the committee on nominations, of which Hon. B. F. Whittemore was chairman, was loaded to the muzzle and ready to report. Before this was done however and at the proper stage in the proceedings, President Flint delivered his valedictory which was listened to with interest and warmly applauded at the close. The retiring President went lightly over the Board's history for the last year with which, considering all things and the many rough places in the way, he was well satisfied and had a right to be. A year ago he reluctantly accepted the responsible and honorable office of President with fear and trembling, realizing that the second is always the critical year in the life of such organizations, but, thanks to the kindness, courtesy, good will and helping hand of the working committees of the Board, the year had passed, Mr. Flint said, without anything serious happening to the organization, and he believed it to be much stronger now than ever before for having crossed safely the crucial line. He thanked the Board warmly for the confidence it had reposed in him and the honor conferred by making him its second President, and with the best wishes for its future success and usefulness, which he had no doubt would be abundant, he was ready to surrender the Chair to his successor whoever it might be. The usual compliments paid to retiring officers were cordially tendered to Mr. Flint, coupled with regret that he would not listen to appeals to stand for a re-election.

Prior to this the Treasurer of the Board, Hon. E. E. Thompson, had made his report per Secretary Conn because he was unable to be present at the meeting, which was highly satisfactory. It showed a small balance of cash in bank, and this after the payment of every debt known or believed to be due from the Board. This was better than anticipations and with the statement the members were pleased.

The committee on nominations reported the following list of officers, each one of which was elected singly by ballot and unanimously:

President, Parker L. Converse.
Vice-Presidents, James Skinner, Benjamin F. Whittemore, Benjamin Hinckley.
Secretary, Horace N. Conn.
Treasurer, Edward Everett Thompson.
Executive Committee, Eustace Cummings (Chairman), Nathan J. Simonds, Gilman F. Jones, Jacob Brown, John G. Maguire, Frederic H. Lewis, George Buchanan, Winthrop Hammond, Joseph B. McDonald, John S. True, William N. Titus, John Winn, William W. Hill, J. W. Hammond, William H. Smith, Henry C. Hall, Frederic A. Flint, Frank S. Burgess, John K. Murdock, Alex. Grant, Charles M. Strout, George A. Hobbs, C. W. Smith, B. F. Kimball.

Messrs. J. W. Hammond and H. C. Hall were appointed to acquaint Judge Converse of his election to the presidency of the Board by a unanimous and enthusiastic vote, who proceeded to discharge that duty and soon returned with the Judge under convoy. When he entered the Rooms he was greeted with rounds of hearty cheers, and then taken in hand by ex-President Flint who, in some well chosen words, turned the office over to Hon. P. L. Converse, Judge of the Fourth Middlesex District Court, and a prominent and highly esteemed citizen of Woburn, being of the stock in direct descent of one of the original founders of the town.

The Judge accepted the office with its honors, duties and trusts in a brief speech, thanking the Board for this token of their esteem and high consideration, and pledging himself to discharge the duties of the office to the best of his ability. The election of Judge Converse was a happy move on the part of the Board and all the members seemed to so regard it.

On motion of First Vice President Skinner, supported by a few remarks to the point, a unanimous vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Flint for the able, impartial and successful manner in which he had discharged the duties of his office during the past year, and thus passed off an important election without a jar and to the entire satisfaction of all participants.

After the transaction of a little more business the meeting adjourned.

For a Hospital.

MONTREAL, Que., April 18.

The mayor presented this afternoon to the city council a letter signed by Sir George Stephen, president of the Canadian Pacific railway, and Sir Donald Smith, a director and a member of Parliament for Montreal, offering a donation of $500,000 to improve the hospital accommodations for the sick and poor of the city, and for increasing the facilities for acquiring medical education and providing for the training of professional nurses.—*Despatch*.

In his post prandial speech at the annual banquet of the Woburn Board of Trade last week Mr. C. S. Mellen, General Superintendent of the Boston and Lowell Railroad, related that, when taking the above named distinguised gentlemen and some of their co-directors in the C. P. RR. on a tour of observation over the B. & L's. system of lines, they made a halt at Woburn and took a look at the beautiful Public Library not far from the depot. They expressed great admiration for the elegant building and enquired of Mr. Mellen from whence came the money to build it. In reply he gave a brief history of the munificent Winn bequest and spoke of its great benefit to the town. This seemed to start a train of thought in the minds of Sir George Steven and Sir Donald Smith concerning the disposition of private fortunes and in the discussion that followed they agreed fully as to the wisdom displayed by the Winns in the disposal of a part of their great wealth, and also that the example set by them was worthy of being imitated by other rich people. They discussed this matter with earnestness, and Mr. Mellen said he had reason to believe that, from what he heard then and learned subsequently, this brief view of the Woburn Public Library (which they greatly admired) and the history of its inception, building and equipping first suggested to them the idea of making the magnificent gifts to the city of Montreal above announced, but for which the probabilities are strong that they would never have been made. Mr. Mellen thought the incident a remarkable one and others will agree with him.

A Royal Scheme.

It is understood that as soon as the Boston & Maine perfects the lease of the Lowell a circuit road will be run out as far as Reading on the Maine and then swing round to Wilmington on the Lowell, over which trains are to be run through the day at 15-minute intervals. If this project is carried out, the increase in building in the suburbs thus reached will be doubtless as marvellous as that which has followed the circuit system which the Albany road introduced a few years since.—*Boston Record*.

That is precisely what a due regard for and a desire to promote the best interests of the consolidated lines would dictate and what suburban accommodations, rapid growth and prosperity demand and are bound sooner or later to have. The Boston & Maine and Boston & Lowell combination now talked of and probably about perfected offers the best facilities for a circuit road as outlined by the *Record's* item that are anywhere to be found in the environs of Boston and that it is certain to come very soon no intelligent person can for a moment doubt. The northern suburbs of Boston are being peopled much more rapidly at the present time than ever before, an illustration of which may be found in the astonishing increase of population in the Mystic Valley. From the southern line of Wilmington to West Medford the Main street is almost a continuous village. It passes through No. Woburn, Central Square, Woburn Centre, Winchester, Mystic to West Medford, each a thrifty centre of population and connected by residences all the way from one end to the other, and the time has come or will very soon when more and quicker passenger trains to and from the city will become a necessity which the best way to meet will be by the circuit road proposed by the Boston & Maine. It has got to come, and if the surface roads do not promptly heed the call for it perhaps Meigs's or somebody's else's elevated system will step in and secure the prize.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

CONGREGATIONAL—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Communion service at 2.30 p. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m; Monthly Concert at 7 p. m. The usual meeting Wednesday evening. Christian Endeavor, Friday evening.

METHODIST.—Sermon by the pastor, at 10.30 a. m.; Sacrament, at 2.30 p. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; General Praise and Prayer Service, at 7 p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Class Meeting, Friday evening.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m., followed by baptism; Communion service at 2.30 p. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; Missionary Concert at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening, Young Peoples' Meeting.

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The interest which is being developed along the line of this proposed road is fast taking form. Within a few days engineers and those interested in the project have made rough survey of the route and are greatly encouraged at the prospects. After leaving Lawrence the principal point that will be tapped will be the large leather manufacturing town of Woburn. The revenue from this town alone for years has nearly paid the interest on the debt of the original road. The leading citizens of that town have long been desirous of having a competing road as the Lowell road exacted exorbitant rates for short hauls on bark cars, and now they are willing to lend all the encouragement to the enterprise in their power. So satisfactory has been the outline survey that those that are pushing the matter claim that before the season is half gone operations will have been commenced on this new line.—*Evening Record*.

The business men of Woburn are keeping a sharp eye on this enterprise and will be on hand to help take advantage of any and all favorable opportunities to help it along. It is the opinion of prominent Haverhill, Lawrence, and Woburn parties that this line will be built within two years and that all three of these places and lesser communities on the route will enjoy the benefits of railroad competition in freights and passenger tariffs within the period named.

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No. 3, Cottage House with 5 acres Land, about 1 acre well covered with Wood; 1 minutes' walk from RR. Station.

No. 4, Cottage House, painted and blinded; 4 acres of land on Middle Street.

No. 5, about 4 acres of Woodland, on east side of Mill Pond.

No. 6, about 9 acres of Woodland, large part of which is of heavy growth.

The above described property is within 10 miles of Boston, pleasantly situated, and this sale offers an excellent opportunity to parties who may desire to purchase a snug home, small Farm, profitable Woodland, or an excellent site and privilege for manufacturing purposes.

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Owing to the prevalence of Grass Fires, the Chief Engineer of Fire Department calls attention to Public Statutes.

SECT. 13, CHAP 206. "Whoever is concerned in causing or making a bonfire within ten rods of a house or building shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars or imprisonment not exceeding one month.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

Town Clerk's Office,
APRIL 14, 1887.

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M. S. SEELEY, Town Clerk.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

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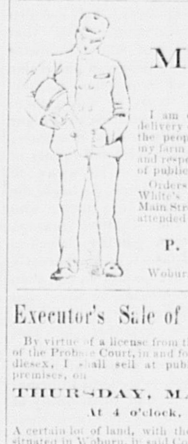

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By virtue of a license from the Honorable Judge of the Probate Court, in and for the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction, on the premises, on

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1887,

At 4 o'clock, P. M.,

A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, it formerly being the homestead of the late DEA. BENJAMIN MILLETT, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises on the southerly side of Pleasant street, by land now, or formerly, of A. V. Haynes; thence the line runs easterly on and by the southerly side of said Pleasant street, eighty-four and eight-tenths (84.8) feet, to Court street, thence the line turns and runs on the westerly side of said Court street, one hundred and four and five-tenths (104.5) feet, to land now, or formerly, of S. Nichols; thence the line turns and runs westerly by land, now or formerly, of said S. Nichols, ninety-two (92) feet, to land now or formerly of said A. V. Haynes; thence the line turns and runs northerly by land of said A. V. Haynes, one hundred and four and nine-tenths (104.9) feet, to the point of beginning. Said premises are within two minutes walk from railroad depot, horse cars, Woburn Public Library, and churches.

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Warren Street.

Woman's Column.

HIS MOTHER'S COOKING.

BY LIZZIE M. HADLEY.

He sat at the dinner-table
With a discontented frown;
The potatoes and steak were underdone,
And the bread was baked too brown.
The pie too sour, the pudding too sweet,
And the roast was much too fat;
The soup so greasy, too, and salt,
'Twas hardly fit for the cat.

"I wish you could eat the bread and pies
I've seen my mother make;
They are something like, and 'twould do you good
Just to look at a loaf of her cake."
Said the smiling wife, "I'll improve with age;
Just now I'm but a beginner.
But your mother has come to visit us,
And to-day she cooked the dinner."
—*Good Housekeeping.*

KILKENNEY ARGUMENTS.

Woman suffrage is unwise, because it will undermine the foundations of government.

Woman suffrage is wrong, because it will cause dissensions in many households.

Women are too emotional to endure the excitement of politics.

Woman is too good to be mixed up in politics.

Good women will not vote.

Woman suffrage is useless, because it will have no power to change existing conditions.

Woman suffrage is needless, because women will simply vote as their husbands or fathers do.

Women will be found utterly indifferent to political questions.

Women will be found even more open to bribery and personal influence than men.

This measure will impose an unjust burden upon many conscientious women who do not wish to vote, but will feel it their duty to do so.—*The Amendment.*

OUR GIRLS.

Probably there are few of us who have not, at times, felt a pang of mortification at the foolish conduct of young girls upon the street. You can see them sauntering to and fro on the principal thoroughfares, half-a-dozen times of an afternoon, with that peculiar, careless gait which indicates that they have no business in particular to attend to; and sometimes, at their side or behind them, or ogling them from a street corner, you see the vulgar face of some flashily-dressed drummer, who has, perhaps, a wife and family of his own at home—too far away to interfere. You recognize, perhaps, the daughters of hardworking men, who can ill afford the slightest luxury, dressed expensively, gaudily (hence in marvellously bad taste), and apparently having no other occupation in life than to exhibit their charms to men that have as little sense as themselves. Ask these girls anything of that knowledge which will be useful to them in life, matters either of housekeeping, literature, or general information, and you will find them sadly at fault; all their thoughts are on their beaux; their conversation is the petty local gossip of the town or of their particular set. You see with disgust the signals which announce an approaching "flirtation," the handkerchief drawn at the opportune moment, the arch glances, the simpers, the tittering, and finally, the loud and foolish conversation; and you wish to heaven that if such things must be, they might take place in some more secluded locality. It is from these commencements that our brothels are filled, and the life of the woman who has inherited nothing but virtue from her parents, goes out in shame and bitterness. At the outset the girl means no harm, but the man does. Her head is filled with giddiness and vanity, and his flattery accomplishes the inevitable result. And the fault of this thing lies, not so much with the child herself, as with the indulgent parents who look with helpless sorrow upon her unaccountable waywardness, and at the door of society, which has not yet fully learned to inspire women with some other great purpose in life than the mere procuring of a husband.

How many self-sacrificing mothers are there in every town in America who assume, unaided, the whole burden of the household, cooking, washing, providing, mending—everything,—and leave the time of their growing daughters unoccupied, to devote to their dresses, their music, their gossip and their beaux! The mother who does this, does a greater wrong to her girls than to herself. She plants in them a spirit of vanity and selfishness which has no place in her own nature. To amuse and gratify themselves becomes the great object of their lives, and even in the pursuit of amusement their minds are left wholly undirected. The deep pleasure to be derived from the perusal of the standards of our literature is untasted, and the morbid excitement of sensational novels takes its place. A long, healthy tramp through the fields is never thought of. An afternoon's saunter through the streets is substituted, not for the exercise or pleasure of the thing itself, but to meet the boys and show off their fine clothes. Few young girls in America know the keen pleasure and exhilaration to be derived from a five-mile tramp over the fields in the cool bracing autumn air. It would be a revelation to them to see the ruddy faces of English girls after a long walk into the country, returning with their trophies of wild flowers and autumn leaves.

The remedy for all this is not to be found in curtailing the liberty of our young women. Forcible restraint creates a stronger appetite for the thing withheld. The true plan is to open a wider field for their activities, to train them by experience to find that there is as much real pleasure in healthy literary pursuits, and even in the duties of household life (if their ambition is once awakened), as in a walk down street with the most attractive "traveling salesman" that ever cast sheep's eyes at them from the door of hotel or saloon.

Society is much at fault in limiting, both by law and by custom, the sphere of woman's activity. Men are restrained from much evil by the labor which they devote to some great object—the acquisition of property, reputation or power. Ambition is the great lever of industry, and work clears away the rubbish in a man's mind as much as in the world around him. But the inducements offered to women to be something, and accomplish something, are meagre indeed. The doors of many fields of usefulness are closed; some by law, others by opinion. This is all wrong. Let the girl have an equal chance, and impose on her an equal responsibility. Society ought to demand of every young woman (just as it demands of every young man) that she should be fitted for some useful occupation, and then she ought to have the same inducements offered her to follow it if she desires. And, above all, it ought to be regarded as discreditable for a woman to be unacquainted with those household duties which she will be required to assume after she has reached what now seems to be the goal of so many aspirations—the state of matrimony.—*Wm. Dudley Foulke, in Bazaar Journal.*

A Public Benefaction.

How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in every family. The ELASTIC STARCH is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men have a practical knowledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the iron from sticking and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them clean twice as long. Beware of imitations. See that the name J. C. HUBINGER & BROS., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

Under the new prohibitory law of Kansas the druggist who wishes to sell intoxicating liquors "for medical, scientific and mechanical purposes," must file, in the office of the probate judge, "a petition signed by the applicant and twenty-five reputable free holders having the qualifications of electors, and twenty-five reputable women over twenty-one years of age." Many druggists, so-called, will not be able to obtain permits under the new law, and many others who could are said to be inclined to abandon the sale of liquors altogether on account of the restrictions of the law. The druggists of Girard and Paola have determined not to make application and will not keep liquor for any purpose. About one-half of Topeka's druggists have come to the same conclusion.

The Verdict Unanimous.

W. D. Sult, Druggist, Bippus, Ind., testifies; "I can recommend Electric Bitters as the very best remedy. Every bottle sold has given relief in every case. One man took six bottles, and was cured of Rheumatism of 10 years standing." Abraham Hare, druggist, Belleville, Ohio, affirms: "The best selling medicine I have ever handled in my 20 years experience, is Electric Bitters." Thousands of others have added their testimony, so that the verdict is unanimous that Electric Bitters do cure all diseases of the Liver Kidneys or Blood. Only a half dollar a bottle at W. W. Hill's Drug Store.

The first asylum for idiots in this country was established in a wing of the Perkins Institute, Boston, Massachusetts, in 1848. New York followed with a similar asylum in 1851. The first insane asylum in the country was established at Williamsburg, Virginia, in 1773; the second at Somerville, Massachusetts, in 1818.

What are Suppositories.

A. G. Rose, from New London, Conn., writes: Send me two boxes of your Kemp's Pile Suppositories by mail. Our druggist is out. They are for a friend. I tried everything without help, but the Suppositories cured me.

The treatment is new and within reach of all, and would advise the affected to give them a trial. For sale by Chas. H. Buss Druggist, at 50c. per box.

The anatomy of former mercies puts an argument in the mouth of prayer, a glass to the eye of faith, and a harp in the hands of thankfulness.—Lee, 17th Century.

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands of despairing patients can testify. On this point a trustworthy medical writer says: "Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use by physicians afford but temporary benefit. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes." Ely's Cream Balm is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient.

Count your resources; learn what you are not fit for, and give up wishing for it. Learn what you can do, and do it with the energy of a man.

W. H. Pattee, salesman for Esterbrook & Eaton, Washington St., Boston, writes: "It gives me real pleasure to say that Adamson's Botanic Balsam cured me of a severe cold, to which I have been subject, especially during the winter months, and I have in many instances recommended it to my friends, and they have all been benefitted by its use. I think it has no equal as a cough mixture."

"I am using Adamson's Botanic Balsam for a cough of long standing, with satisfactory results. Mrs. E. K. Brown, West Pembroke, Mass.

The most agreeable companion is he who has experienced enough disappointments to take off the keen edge of conceit.

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Count Von Moltke is the oldest member of the German Reichstag, although twenty-four of his colleagues in that body are over seventy.

People who want the value of their money in the goods they buy, and yet cannot afford to pay all cash, should study the instalment methods of B. A. Atkinson & Co. Their reputation for honesty and fair dealing is above reproach.

Professor Richard A. Proctor is going to Germany next summer to witness the total solar eclipse which takes place on August 18th.

As an anodyne expectorant, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is prompt in its action. It checks the advance of disease, allays all tendency to inflamation and consumption, and speedily restores haelth to the afflicted.

Major-General Terry is to deliver the oration at the dedication of the Soldiers' Monument at New Haven, Conn., on June 17th.

J. C. Davis' Old Soap is the cleanest.

Mrs. Hendricks denies that she is preparing any biography of her late husband, and says she has no intention of doing so.

Our own action must clothe us with an immortality, loathsome or glorious.

Literary Notices.

BABYLAND is as sweet as a peach this month. It is brimful of beautiful pictures and pretty stories, poetry, etc.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for May is one of the best numbers that have been issued. It contains a story by Mrs. Fields of Boston, Mrs. Louise Chandler Moulton of the highest Boston literary circles also contributes to this number, besides whom several noted peoples' names appear in the contents. We give the JOURNAL, the price of which is $2 a year in advance, and THE COTTAGE HEARTH a year for $2.00.

KNAPSACK AND RIFLE, written by "One of the Boys" and published by W. H. Thompson & Company, 32 Hawley street, Boston, is a very interesting history of so much of the War of the Rebellion as was witnessed and participated in by the writer, the same being profusely and finely illustrated by well-known artists. The story is told in a brisk, racy, and interesting manner and the book, which is issued in fine style by the enterprising publishers, will be widely read and highly cherished by the Veterans and everybody else.

The numbers of THE LIVING AGE for April 16, and 23, contain Transylvanian Peoples, The Decline and Eall of Dr. Faustus and Contemporary Life in France, Mr. Gladstone on The Irish Demand, French Aggression in Madagascar, Revelations from Patmos, Lord George Gordon and the Riots of 1780, The Oven Islands, The Fight at Trinkatat, and Novel Announcements, Mr. Ruskin's Publishers, with instalments of Richard Cable, The Shepherd of the Salt Lake and Major Lawrence, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($3) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 mothlies or weeklies with the LIVING AGE for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston are the publishers.

Harper's Magazine for May outstrips even its own high standard as an extraordinary number replete with most interesting and seasonable matter. The initial article is upon "The Recent Movement in Southern Literature," by one of the rising poets of Virginia, Charles W. Coleman, Jun. It is a remarkable exhibit of the development of literary genius in the South, with special emphasis upon the younger group of authors, among whom "Uncle Remus," G. W. Cable, Richard M. Johnston, Thomas N. Page, Lafcadio Hean, and Charles Egbert Craddock are conspicuous. A brief personal sketch of each writer is given, and twelve portraits with autographs embellish the text. The other articles, many illustrated, are: The Three Tetons, Acting and Actors, Kitty of Coleraine, The American Mastiff, Through the Caucausus, Narka, April Hopes, Mexican Notes, Social Studies, Jerry and Clarindo, Poems, Editorial Easy Chair, Editor's Study, Drawer (unusually full), etc., etc.

*.*HARPER'S is sold by The New England News Company, Boston, and by Horton at the Old Woburn Bookstore.

Mr. John Burroughs opens the May number of THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY with The Natural *versus* the Supernatural, which is intended to vindicate the position taken in his article on Science and Theology. The Present Status of the Greek Question, by Professor Edmund J. James, shows how great an advance has been made in substituting a variety of scientific and literary studies for the compulsory Greek. Creation or Evolution? presents a vigorous criticism of the work under that title of George Ticknor Curtis. Social Sustenance discourses how making a living is affected by the existence and conduct of other people. In the Influence of Snow-Masses on Climate, Mr. A. J. Woeikoff gives some facts and results of his own very extensive observations. Dr. Frances Emily White publishes Hygiene as a Basis of Morals. Professor Byron D. Halsted gives Prairie-Flowers of Early Spring. Mr. W. C. Gouinlock discovers the cause of baldness in the "stovepipe hats." Professor Cleveland Abbe gives a summary of General Gazen's work in science. Illustrated articles are published in the Megalithic Monuments of Spain and Portugal, and Mexican Antiquities. The Sun's Heat; a lively delineation of national customs Among the Transylvanian Saxons; a sketch, with portrait, of James Ferguson, and the usual attractive departments, go to complete a varied and excellent number of this standard magazine. New York: D. Appleton & Company. Fifty cents a number, $5 a year.

Friction matches were invented by John Walker, an English chemist, in 1829, and they began to find their way into the United States two or three years later. A. D. Stephens, of Springfield, Massachusetts, in 1836, was the first to secure a patent in this country.

Lemuel Cook of Clarendon, New York, and William Hutchings, of York, Maine, were the two last survivors of the Continental army, and by a singular coincidence these two venerable veterans, who were born the same year 1764, died the same month, May, 1866.

The old family Bible that belonged to Washington's mother is still in existence, and is kept in Virginia. It contains the family register, recording the birth of George Washington, Feb. 22, 1732. The binding has a cover of cloth woven by the hands of his mother.

Fifteen years ago David Hostetter was a pedler. To-day he is worth $16,000,000. He is a great advertiser in newspapers.

Try the virtue of lifting up the fallen and enjoy the thrill of holy pleasure which accompanies the act.

There is nothing so minute or inconsiderable that I would not rather know it, than not, says Dr. Johnson.

It is not what you propose doing tomorrow but what you are doing to-day that is the standard to be applied.

Labor is the divine law of our existence; indolence is desertion and suicide.

A KANSAS QUAIL HUNT.

A Sportsman's Experience on a Bright, Frosty December Morning.

Seven years ago a friend called on me one bright, frosty December morning. He had his dog and gun with him. He wanted to hunt a distant field where quail were plentiful. I told him that my ground was the best in the country, and I declined to go seven miles to shoot over strange ground. We decided to hunt a low lying creek bottom, on which plum bushes grew, and which was close to cornfields. My friend had urgent need for forty birds.

"Sam," I said, "when forty birds are killed we will stop shooting."

"Forty grandmothers," he remarked.

"I mean it," I said. "We will get them before we get through this plum patch," which was about a quarter of a mile long, and which lined both banks of the creek. I crossed the creek, called my eager dog back, pulled her ear, and said, "Go ahead, and go slow." She worked steadily at a slow trot. Suddenly she turned and stood, with twisted head and uplifted foot and horizontal tail, gazing into a dense clump of bushes. I whistled warningly to my friend, and then flushed the birds, and missed with both barrels. The covey was exceedingly large. The birds flew into an open space of an acre, where the grass was about a foot high, and there scattered widely. About the same time my friend's dog, a headstrong, stupid pointer, flushed a covey, and they crossed the creek and settled in the grass, scattering widely also. I beckoned him. He crossed the creek, and wished to advance at once to the sport.

"Sam," I said, "you need forty birds. I don't like to say anything against your dog. He is the best prairie chicken dog I ever saw, but he is a lunkhead on quail. Tie him up. Let Queen beat this grass for us and we will get the forty birds."

My friend was indignant. But I coaxed him into tying his dog to a plum bush. We walked slowly to the grass. There I took Queen's soft ear in my hand, pinched it slightly and said: "Be careful. Go slow," and I cuffed her gently.

The intelligent dog began to beat the ground. My friend shot to the right and I to the left. What a hunt that was! The dog worked slowly and beautifully. The birds lay to her well. Her face glowed with pleasure. The shooting was sufficiently brisk to keep the guns warm. The lunkhead pointer howled his disapproval. We shot the grass patch over in twenty-five minutes. Each marked down his dead birds as well as he could, and kept count of the number. The last bird up and killed, I turned to my friend, and with an inquiring lift of my eyebrows said: "Well?"

"I have twenty-seven down," he replied.

"And I have twenty-three," I said.

He loosened his dog and cried: "Dead birds, dead birds!"

The two dogs, envious of each other, worked as nailers are alleged to work, and brought in bird after bird until forty-three quail were in our bags. The other seven were probably winged, and escaped by long and fast running. I never had but one more enjoyable hunt than that.—Frank Wilkeson in New York Sun.

The Ideal War Correspondent.

The ideal war correspondent must be a man who has among other things the gift of tongues. He must speak in addition to the ordinary European languages some of the Asiatic, including Afghanistan, and some African, including Soudanese, Ashantee, Abyssinian and Zulu. He must have a lovely temper, amiable as a woman and as affable as a candidate who is canvassing for your vote, and at the same time he must be big and ugly enough to scare off whole armies. He must be able to ride anything from a giraffe to a rat, and be able to sit in the saddle for 100 miles at a stretch, to go without eating for a week, to write a good, legible round hand so the clerk at the telegraph station can read it. He must write at the rate of a column an hour, and often write eight columns and then gallop back to the scene of action. He must be able to tell every move that is going to be made and scent a battle long before it takes place, and then while it is raging he must tell how it is going and what will be the result long before it terminates. All these accomplishments would make a man an ideal correspondent, but there never was such a man. Julius Cæsar would have made a good one if there had been such men in those days, and Napoleon the First would have eclipsed Julius Cæsar if he could have learned to be truthful.—London Cor. New York Mail and Express.

Which Lead to Perdition.

I do not believe in bringing up the young to know life, as it is said. I should just as soon think of bringing up a child by cutting some of the cords of his body and lacerating his nerves and scarring and tattooing him and making an Indian of him outright as an element of beauty as I should think of developing his manhood by bringing him up to see life—to see its abominable lusts, to see its hideous incarnations of wit, to see its infernal wickedness, to see its extravagant and degrading scenes, to see its miserable carnalities, to see its imaginations set on fire of hell, to see all those temptations and delusions which lead to perdition. Nobody gets over the sight of these things. They who see them always carry scars. They are burned. And though they live, they live as men that have been burned. The scar remains.—Henry Ward Beecher in New York World.

Danger in Dead Rats.

It has been claimed for years that rats first introduced the terrible trichinæ in swine and then, through fresh pork and bacon, into human bodies. Dr. Landrey, in The Popular Science News, supports this theory with personal observations, and cites a number of cases showing that dead rats, mice and cats should be kept away from hogs. It is a crime to throw a dead rat to the hogs with such facts in mind.—Chicago Times.

"Uncle Remus."

Joel Chandler Harris (Uncle Remus) is a son of the late Judge Harris, of Knoxville, Tenn., who was the author of the "Sut Lovengood" sketches, famous among the lovers of humor some thirty years ago.—Chicago Tribune.

A druggist at Pasadena, Cal., advertises for one thousand horned toads.

Senator John H. Reagan, of Texas, has pronounced in favor of liquor prohibition.

Prince Alexander, of Battenberg, will visit the United States during the coming autumn.

Attorney-General Garland is the only member of the Administration who is a total abstainer.

We live in an age in which superfluous ideas abound and essential ideas are lacking.

Let our lives be as pure as the snow-fields, where our foot leaves a mark, but not a stain.

Application is the price to be paid for mental acquisition. To have the harvest we must sow the seed.

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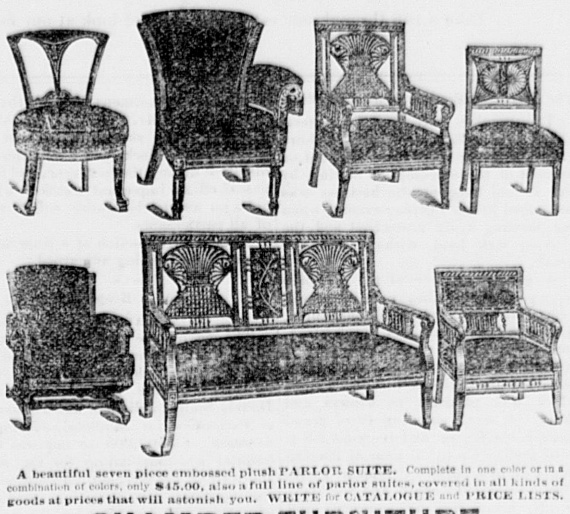

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I was a great sufferer from Dyspepsia and Constipation. I had no appetite, became greatly debilitated, and was constantly afflicted with Headache and Dizziness. I consulted our family doctor, who prescribed for me, at various times, without affording more than temporary relief. I finally commenced taking Ayer's Pills. In a short time my digestion and appetite

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three boxes of Ayer's Pills, and, at the same time dieting myself, I was completely cured. My digestive organs are now in good order, and I am in perfect health.—Philip Lockwood, Topeka, Kans.

Ayer's Pills have benefited me wonderfully. For months I suffered from Indigestion and Headache, was restless at night, and had a bad taste in my mouth every morning. After taking one box of Ayer's Pills, all these troubles disappeared, my food digested well, and my sleep was refreshing.—Henry C. Hemmenway, Rockport, Mass.

I was cured of the Piles by the use of Ayer's Pills. They not only relieved me of that painful disorder, but gave me increased vigor, and restored my health.—John Lazarus, St. John, N. B.

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GREETING:

WHEREAS, Edward F. Johnson, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration and for other reasons set forth in said petition:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of May next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, Creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Margaret Gallagher, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to John H. Flynn of Boston, in the County of Suffolk:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of May next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

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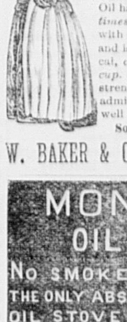

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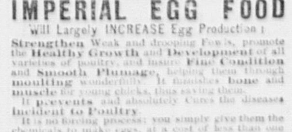

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FOR LAWRENCE at 8.22, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 1.34, 4.21, 5.10, 5.57, 6.41, 7.55, 11.33 P. M. **Sunday**, 9.28, A. M., 5.28, P. M. **RETURN**, 6.40, 7.45, 9.30, 11.00, A. M., 12.05, 1.30, 4.05, 6.03, 9.20, P. M. **Sundays**, 8.55 A. M., 4.25 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.26, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 2.21, 3.21, 5.10, 6.41, 9.25, 11.33 P. M. **Sunday**, 9.28 A. M., 5.28, P. M. **RETURN**, 6.35, 7.17, 7.35, 9.15, 11.00, A. M., 6.00, 6.30, P. M. **Sunday**, 9.00, A. M., 4.30 P. M.

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For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H., 7.26 A. M., 3.21 P. M.

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For WARNER, BRADFORD, SUNAPEE, NEWPORT, N. H., and CLAREMONT at 11.24 A. M.

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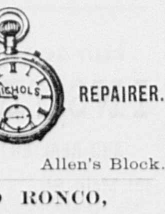
DEALER,  REPAIRER.

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IN EVERY "NO" THERE LIES A SHAPELY "YES."

The following beautiful poem was recited by Hon. B. F. Whittemore at the late annual banquet of the Woburn Board of Trade. We print it this week, together with the "Moral," which was an original composition by Mr. W., at the request of many persons who listened with pleasure to the recitation.—EDITOR OF JOURNAL.

A sculptor stood by a marble block,
And struck it a shapeless blow;
It laughed out-right at the tiny shock
In a harsh, imperial "No."

The hand swept on and a shadowy head
Slowly began to grow:
"'Tis only a shadow," the marble said,
In a cold, insistent "No."

The thick curls clustered in classic pride
Round a high smooth brow of snow:
"I see them not" still the block replied
In a blind, convinceless "No."

The lips smiled out at the sculptor's wand,
As they smiled on him long ago;
He listened, but heard them still respond—
In a hesitating "No."

The eyes looked out from the lids that slept,
And a tear that seemed to flow:
"My eyes deceive me," the marble wept,
In a disengenuous "No."

The sculptor paused, as an echo dim
Ran all about that place;
'Twas that old "No" coming back to him,
In the "Yes" of a marble face.

That echo sleeps in each thing we press,
And it says to every man,
"In every "No" lies a shapely "Yes;"
Come and take me if you can.

MORAL.

Be sure to join "the Board of Trade,"
Crowned as it has been by success,
In what e'er efforts it has made
By kind, good fortune's smiling "Yes."

For unto Woburn will it be
As was the sculptor to the block;
'Twill shape its future destiny
As did the sculptor shape the rock.

DEAD MAN'S CANON.

It was a warm day in April.

Charles Lofton took a car and rode out to the end of the line, then he walked on for some distance and turned up the hill to the left and took the road which leads down through Dead Man's Canon.

As he walked down the rough road he noticed a little child playing around a pile of wood which her father had been chopping.

Farther down he saw two girls at a spring, and as the younger drank from a tin pail she said to her sister, "What splendid water that is."

Two men who were drawing stone left their horses and went to the girls for a drink.

Some negroes were laughing and talking around a rough house on the side of the bluff.

All these things Lofton noticed as he walked, and he also noticed two men, evidently tramps, who sat on a stone in a lonely part of the canon talking in low tones, which ceased entirely as he came nearer.

Loften went on through the canon and crossed the tracks to the brewery, where he was going to look at some new machinery.

After he had examined the machine he went up on the roof of the building, from which there was an excellent view of the valley.

He watched the river winding away past cultivated lands and patches of forest, past sandy flats and rocky bluffs. He noticed the tall sycamores, with their white bark, scattered over the valley. In the distance he could see the piled up stone and the tall masts of the derricks for moving it where a great ridge was being built, and near by the cluster of houses covered with tar paper where the workmen lived. On the other side was the city with its towers and chimneys, and over all the dark cloud of smoke curling upward. And then there was the river again, and more flats and more bluffs and more cultivated land, forest and white-barked sycamores.

Loften went down and started for home. As he went up the canon the men still sat on the stone whispering together, and again stopped when he came near.

It was growing dark. The men who had been drawing stone had left their wagon by the road and gone for the night. He met one old negro carrying a pail of water. There was no one talking before the house now. The spring was deserted, and the water ran quietly down the hill. The little girl and the man who had been chopping wood were gone too.

Near the head of the canon Loften met a well dressed man going down. They nodded as they passed and said something about the bad walking.

Loften noticed that black clouds were gathering, and when he reached the top of the bluff it was quite dark. He took a car and went home, and as he went into his house he heard the roar of distant thunder.

As the flashes of lightning for a second illumined the lower end of Dead Man's Canon a well dressed man lay in the road near the rock where the two tramps had sat whispering together—but the tramps were gone.

It was still moonlight when the quarrymen started for their work.

The storm had gone by and the sky was bright with stars.

As they entered the canon the paling of the moon indicated that the sun would soon be up and the sky was already growing red in the east. A light mist floated among the tops of the sycamore trees on the flats.

Suddenly the men stopped.

Right before them on the road lay a man. His clothes were soaked by the rain, which had fallen in torrents, and his white collar and cuffs were soiled with mud. His head covered with mud and blood, and an ugly gash in his throat showed how he had died.

One of them at once started for the town to notify the authorities.

The coroner came and took charge of the body, and men were set at work to try and discover the murderer.

Inquiry at the brewery brought out the fact that a strange man had been seen the late the previous afternoon, and an old negro testified to having seen him going up the canon. A conductor on one of the cars said that a man answering the description given by the men at the brewery and the old negro had ridden on hiscar. A grocer's man who happened to be driving by had seen this man and identified him as Loften.

When the officers came to his house Loften was writing, and upon being told that he was wanted went at once, thinking there was some mistake which could be easily explained, and it was not until brought before the magistrate that he learned that he was charged with murder.

He told his story as we have already done above, and pleaded his innocence, but the evidence against him seemed too strong, and he was sent to await trial.

No one else had seen the two tramps, nor could any traces of them be found.

Loften lay awake all night in his cell. He knew that he was innocent, but how was he to prove it? He had always had a stainless reputation, and now he was in prison accused of murder! He thought of the grief and shame it would cause to his friends. Then he broke down and cried like a child.

After that he remembered nothing.

When the jailer came with his breakfast he found him staring at the blank wall of his cell. He spoke to him, but the prisoner did not move. Lotten was mad.

He was committed to an insane asylum, but the judge made a stipulation that if he should ever recover his reason he should be tried for murder.

For seven years Charles Loften was in the asylum. He ate and slept and was taken out to walk by a nurse or some of the other patients, but he never spoke and he never appeared to notice anyone or anything.

At the end of seven years his reason suddenly returned. Everything was clear up to the night of his imprisonment, but of the time he had spent in the asylum he remembered nothing.

The court was notified that he had recovered his reason, and a time was set for his trial.

On the night before Charles Loften's trial a robbery was attempted in a neighboring town.

Between one and two in the morning the owner of a handsome place on the outskirts of the town was awakened and thought he heard some one moving in the house. He got up and went to his door and found that some one was moving about in the library.

The house was lighted by electricity, and by pressing a button at the head of the stairs the light could be turned on all over the first floor.

This he did, and in an instant the room was lighted.

Two men who had been groping about in the darkness were at first blinded and stupefied by the bright light coming so suddenly, then they came to their senses and ran, and as the proprietor hurried down stairs he saw them running though the house and escaping by a side door.

As the men crossed the yard the night watchman saw them and fired his pistol. The foremost man fell, but the other made good his escape.

On the first day of Loften's trial a jury had been selected, a few witnesses had been called and the court had adjourned.

On the second day of the trial, just as third witness was about to take the stand, a note was handed to the judge.

It stated that, on examining the wounds of the burglar who had been shot in the neighboring town two nights before, it had been found that he could not live, and on learning this the man had made a confession

He said that seven or eight years before he and one of his companions had murdered a man in Dead Man's Canon and robbed him of some valuable papers which he had in his possession. He knew that an innocent man had been arrested, but thought he would be acquitted. He had afterwards learned that the man, whose name was Charles Loften, had become insane and had been placed in an asylum.

The man who listened to the story, knowing that Loften was now on trial for this crime, had sent for a justice and had the man make an affidavit, which he had sent at once to the court.

When the judge had read the note the affidavit was sworn to, and Charles Loften, after seven year's imprisonment for a crime he had never committed, was once more at liberty.—*New York Graphic.*

The Hindoo widows have ghastly times of it, but the acutest part of their suffering comes from the fact that for two days of every month, all during the period of their widowhood, they are obliged to abstain from all food and drink, even to water. The aged mother, hardly able to trot across the floors, must pay the penalty as well as the young widow of twelve. Weeping sisters and daughters stand about and wring their hands, but no one dares help the sufferer. Reformers in India are doing everything in their power to induce the goverument to abolish enforced widowhood, so that none may be compelled to endure the suffering that widows are now forced to undergo. The government is averse to interfering, it being maintained that the desired reform must come from the Hindoos themselves.

Now that plated ware has become so plentiful and cheap, the old expression, "born with a silver spoon in his mouth," goes out of date. Silver is not so tempting a thing as it used to be, except when the mint has struck it, although solid silver still means an awful lot. We might now say "born with a gold spoon," and not mean very much. But the San Francisco girl has not got out an expression which will probably prove more expressive than any. "Yes," said a poor young lady, discussing the daughter of a rich man, "Lottie was born with a sealskin!"

Housekeeper—"Are you a good washer and ironer?" Applicant—"Please, mum, the last family I was with sent their clothes to the laundry." "Can you make good bread?" "Most folks buy of the bakers nowadays, mum." "I suppose you can sweep?" "The lady used to do dat, mum, wid a carpet-sweeper." "Well, I suppose at least you know how to wash dishes?" "Indade, mum, if its a common dishwasher ye want ye better be after hirin' a nager. Good-day, mum."

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And how refreshing is the sight of the *birdless* bonnet. The face beneath, no matter how plain it may be, seems to possess a gentle charm. She might have had birds, this woman, for they are cheap enough, and plentiful enough, heaven knows. But she has them not, therefore she must wear within things infinitely precious, namely, good sense, good taste, good feeling.—*Celia Thaxter, in Audubon Magazine.*

Does any woman imagine these withered corpses (cured with arsenic) which she loves to carry about, are *beautiful?* Not so; the birds lost their beauty with their lives.—*Celia Thaxter, in the Audubon Magazine.*

THE BIRD'S FUNERAL.

Visiting friends in Waterville, Maine—who are remarkable for their love of God's speechless creatures—I listened with tireless interest to their account of their pets. Being made much of seemed to develop wonderfully the natural intelligence of the beasts and birds these kind friends took under their protection; but the story which pleased me most of any they told, was the following:

"Mother stood there by the cooking window, looking out on the garden. In the corner among the apple trees, she saw a most unusual gathering of small wild birds, all intent on some absorbing business.

"'Do, children, go out and try to see what those birds are doing,' she said. 'My hands are in the dough, so I cannot. Be *very* quiet and careful not to scare them; but creep as near to them as you can. I never saw such a sight as this before.'

"We obeyed, and were able to draw near enough to the rare visitants to see clearly what they are doing. In fact they took not the least notice of our approach. The trees seemed full of them. Under the tree nearest to where we stood, was a little mound of freshly-plucked leaves. We saw the birds take off each a leaf and flying down, lay it upon this mound, then fly upward, singing. Thus it was constantly, the downward rush, bearing a leaf, the upward flight with singing. We were delighted and astonished at the lovely spectacle, and stood motionless with almost awe, for we suspected what was the secret of all this.

"When quite a large heap of leaves had been made, suddenly the whole flock of birds soared into the sky and flew away.

"When they had quite vanished, we ventured to raise carefully and reverently, the leaves. It was so. A little wild bird lay there, dead. Tenderly we replaced the covering and hurried into the house to tell mother what we had seen.

Most Excellent.

J. J. Atkins, Chief of Police, Knoxville, Tenn., writes: "My family and I are beneficiaries of your most excellent medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption; having found it to be all that you claim for it, desire to testify to its virtue. My friends to whom I have recommended it, praise it at every opportunity." Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup and every affection of Throat, Chest and Lungs. Trial bottles Free at W. W. Hill's Drug Store. Large Size 50c and $1.00

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Literary Notices.

The May WIDE AWAKE opens with a brilliant frontispiece, Springtime, by E. S. Tucker, reminiscent of the open squares and parks where dainty little girls throng in all the freshness of new spring gowns and hats, merry with their jumping-ropes. The whole number is ensphered in spring light and air—what with Mrs. Blake's A Fancy in Triolets, Clinton Scollard's A Daffodil, Mrs. Clara Doty Bates's Wake-Robin, Mrs. Thomas Serjeant Perry's Dandelions, Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney's Bird-Talk, Marian Douglas's Arbutus, Mr. Barnes's Spring Shower and Miss Watson's very funny A Successful Gardener. The pictorial interest centers in Miss Eleanor Lewis's article, A Select Company, Number IV. of the Famous Pets series, which gives engravings of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe's pet dogs Punch and Missy, one of herself in her early womanhood, Miss Elizabeth Stuart Phelps's Daniel Deronda, and a full-length engraving of Mrs. Jane Welsh Carlyle and her famous dog Nero, from a life photograph sent over by Mrs. Alexander Carlyle, a picture to be prized and preserved. An article, characterized by a delightful readableness is by the editor of *Our Little Men and Women*, Mrs. Frances A. Humphrey, and entitled Cap'n Bos'ard's Wife's School; full of anecdote, and descriptive of a celebrated dame-school in the Old Colony in the early days of the town of Halifax—an industrial school in the primal sense of the term—which sent out strong men and women East, West, North and South. The serials, Romulus and Remus and Montezuma's Gold Mines close in this number, to give place to stories by Charles Egbert Craddock and Mrs. Catherwood. Miss Guiney's Fairy Folk All treats of Other House-Helpers; the La Rose Blanche story is entitled Haregenab; in the Trick-Pony serial Howling Wolf follows the little sage-hen to Moquis land; in A Young Prince of Commerce the young bank-president tells his sisters how to keep a bank-account; in the Successful Women series Mrs. Bolton writes of St. Margaret of New Orleans; in the Wonder-Wings series Mr. Holder tells How Animals Protect Themselves, and in The Contributors pages, Sarah O. Jewett tells how she wore snow-shoes, and urges women to form snow-shoe clubs and Mrs. Wager-Fisher relates in Rural Customers the true story of a clerk who made his fortune by being polite to country folks. $2.40 a year. D. Lothrop Co., Publishers, Boston.

The May CENTURY opens with two profusely illustrated pages of Egyptology, the serial subject being the mummy of Pharaoh the Oppressor (the Pharaoh of the Bible), otherwise Rameses II., which (together with those of other Egyptian kings) was discovered in 1881 by Professor Maspero, but not identified until June, 1886. Soon after this date Mr. Edward L. Wilson visited the spot in company with Professor Maspero and Brugsch Bey, from the latter of whom he had a personal account of the discovery, which Mr. Wilson here records, supplementing it by interesting photographs made by himself. The second paper, by Professor John A. Paine, consists of a comparison of portraits of Rameses, including some new and interesting observations confirmatory of the identification, and setting forth clearly the historical and archæological bearings of the discovery. Mr. Paine arrives at the conclusion that Pharaoh was really not an Egyptian in race or blood, but was descended from the Shepherd Kings of Asiatic origin, thus confirming the Biblical statement that Israel in Egypt was oppressed by an Assyrian. The Lincoln History, by Messrs. Nicolay and Hay, advances to the consideration of the Border Conflict, treating events closely related to Lincoln's contemporary and future political action. The special topics are Kansas in the Civil War, Jefferson Davis on Rebellion, and The Presidential Conventions of 1856. Among the illustrations are portraits of Wilson Shannon, James H. Lane, Governor Charles Robinson, John W. Geary, Philip St. George Cooke, President Filmore, and Fremont and Dayton; and other pictoral material of historical character is added. The paper in the War Series (which so far as the battles themselves are concerned it is expected will close with the October number of THE CENTURY) is this month devoted to the battle of Chattanooga, which is described by General J. S. Fullerton, together with a paper by General Rosecrans on The Campaign for Chattanooga, descriptive of the movements of the Army of the Cumberland from October 30, 1862, when he assumed command in Kentucky, until he was relieved at Chattanooga in the fall of the next year. These two papers, containing a number of illustrations of the engagements during the campaign in this region, will be especially timely in view of the notable meeting of the Army of the Cumberland soon to be held in Washington. Mr. Frederick Schwatka contributes a paper on the Apache Indians, based upon his personal experience on the frontier, and very fully illustrated from photographs. The Topics of the Time are devoted to Executive Responsibility, The Nation's Recent Debt to the South, Food, and The Problem of Government by Guids, the last apropos of an Open Letter on this subject by John D. Cutter, suggesting this way out of the chief difficulties of municipal government.

It is a Curious Fact

That the body is now more susceptible to benefit from medicine than at any other season. Hence the importance of taking Hood's Sarsaparilla now, when it will do you the most good. It is really wonderful for purifying and enriching the blood, creating an appetite, and giving a healthy tone to the whole system. Be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is peculiar to itself.

The report of the German War Office recommending the construction of a second military railway to the French frontier has been approved by the Government. Orders for the immmediate construction of the new road have been issued, and work will be rapidly pushed. It has also been decided to build a military railway around Swiss territory.

The Excitement Not Over.

The rush at C. H. Buss's drug store still continues on account of persons afflicted with Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption, to procure a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is sold on a guarantee and is giving entire satisfaction. It is a standard family remedy. Price 50 cents and $1. Trial size free.

Discussions upon Thackeray's women characters have been so varied, showing that they are difficult to understand, that it is interesting to read the author's opinion of women in a lately published letter. "I am afraid I don't respect your sex enough, though," he writes. "Yes I do, when they are occupied with other business of life."

"Messrs. F. W Kinsman & Co.; Gents.—I have sold your Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam over my counter for nine years, and I must say that, during an experience of twenty-six years in the retail drug business, I have never sold anything for coughs, colds, etc., that has given such universal satisfaction as your Adamson's Botanic Balsam. I recommend it above all others. Yours truly,
"S. CHICHESTER,
"357 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y."

The amateur photographer is now sauntering down rural lanes and making brilliant and daring attempts to picture the "oldest house in town" and other points of interest and romance. It is well known that the amateur is more ambitious than the professional photographer and produces results sometimes much better and often much worse than the artist who makes the art a trade.

That feeling of weariness, so often experienced in the spring, results from a sluggish condition of the blood which, being impure, does not quicken with the changing season. Ayer's Sarsaparilla, by vitalizing and cleansing the blood, strengthens and invigorates the system.

In the college papers signs of the approaching Commencement season are noticed in the words of wisdom offered the graduates. One article begins: "In a few short weeks another horde of college graduates will be turned loose upon the country." It is well to be prepared in season, but the country will endeavor to support the burden with equanimity. If the horde is hungry it will be obliged to be lively to find its living for a year or two, but that will be good for it.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ Last week the Boston *Globe* began to move into its new and elegant home and by Sunday afternoon it had got far enough along to send out invitations to the craft for a house-warming. In response to the invitations several hundred editors, reporters, etc., of Boston and neighboring papers visited the new headquarters of the *Globe* and partook of the generous hospitality of Editor-in-Chief Col. Taylor; Managing Editor, Arthur A. Fowle; and others connected with that live, go-ahead and wonderfully successful Boston daily. The whole afternoon and a part of the evening was spent by the visitors in eating, drinking and going over the seven stories and numerous rooms of the great building, and wondering at and admiring the many things seen on the way. The reception to the general public was continued on Monday. In the upper right hand corner of the first page of the *Globe* that morning was a horse-car ticket good for a ride on any of the street car lines in the city which was an immense advertising scheme that doubtless paid a big dividend, for there was a wonderful rush of humanity to the new *Globe* building all day. What Col. Taylor don't know about advertising isn't worth learning. We heartily congratulate the *Globe* folks on their removal to the new home.

☞ The Massachusetts Legislature of 1887 will be known in history as the junketing Legislature. It will go down to posterity with the odium of a bad name resting on its head. It will be held up as a warning to the future school boy who aspires to become a great law-giver in Massachusetts to beware of junketing. It will be a by-word and a reproach for generations to come. To such a pitiable pass has official junketing brought the present Legislature of this State!

☞ The papers reported that the lease of the Boston and Lowell Railroad to the Boston and Maine Company was signed one day last week in Boston and all that was lacking to complete the business was a ratification of the same by the stockholders. If that is done the transfer will take place and go into practical operation about July 1st next. The Boston and Maine is reaching out in all directions for more roads to conquer.

☞ Mr. H. G. Wadlin, one of our representatives to the Legislature, is making himself felt in that body. He is one of the active and conspicuous members of the House.—*Reading Chronicle.*

He deserves the good name he has won at the General Court and the confidence his constituents repose in his ability. He is certainly one of the brightest men in the House.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

W. G. Miller—For Sale.
W. A. Parker—Plumbing.
T. H. Cahill—"The Record."
F. A. Wells—Blacksmithing.
J. G. Maguire—Admr's Sale.
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E. T. Johnson—Admr's Sale.
G. H. Mann—Buggy for Sale.
C. G. Zerrahn—Clothing Sale.
T. B. Evans—Wagon for Sale.
D. B. H. Power Co.—Wanted.
Pettengill & Co.—Mort'g Sale.
W. T. Grammer—Real Estate.
Geo. P. Rowell & Co.—Mis Ads.
Mark C. Felch—Canada Horses.
W. H. Smith & Co.—Mort'g Sale.
Town of Woburn—Milk Inspector.
Town of Woburn—App. for Licenses.

— Jenkins stores stoves.

— Mr. T. B. Evans advertises a wagon for sale this week.

— Turn your eye to our advertising columns and see what Powers & Company "Want."

— By referring to our advertising columns it will be seen that a boat is advertised to be sold cheap.

— Copeland & Bowser advertise bargains this week. They have an excellent stock of spring goods.

— We had a pleasant call from Mr. Abner Richardson of West Roxbury, an old-time resident of Woburn, yesterday.

— A benefit for Henry Corcoran was advertised to take place this week but he died last Sunday night of consumption.

— Mr. Charles H. Barnes, the successful Boston merchant, has an advertisement in this paper which all should read.

— Mr. John Johnson has bought of Tufts College the block on Main street occupied by Morris as a furniture establisment.

— W. A. Parker is a good, skilful and experienced plumber. He advertises for contracts and jobs in this week's JOURNAL.

— Our new postmaster Reade has not got through making improvements on the postoffice yet. He has fixed things up real nice.

— Mr. F. W. Wells is one of the best horse-shoers in town. He has established himself at 17 Montvale Avenue. See his card.

— The lawn in front of the Baptist church has been finely graded this week and when the grass gets fairly up the grounds will look handsome.

— The regular monthly meeting of Y. W. C. T. U. will be held in parlor of the Methodist church, Saturday afternoon, May 7, at 2.30 o'clock.

— Dr. March will preach at All Saints Chapel, Montvale, next Sunday at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The public are respectfully invited.

— Buss is having a good sale of "Magnum Bonum," a medicine advertised in the JOURNAL, and people who have used it will have no other.

— A Stoneham train derailed itself or was derailed at West Medford last last Tuesday afternoon which was why the trains were a little late at that time.

— Scientific plumbing in all its departments is done by W. A. Parker whose place is on Chestnut street. Neatness, despatch and fair prices is his rule.

— Mr. Mark C. Felch has a carload of nice Canada horses at the Central House stables, consisting of drivers and workers, which will be sold at fair prices.

— People going to Walbridge Brothers after furniture and carpets from here should go up Friend street at No. 87 of which street is their large and well filled store.

— People who would enjoy a very fine entertainment should visit the parlors of the Unitarian church this evening. It will consist of something out of the common order of things.

— The special Board of Trade committee, Messrs. James Skinner, Frank B. Dodge and F. H. Lewis, have gone to Haverhill to-day to investigate the inside of the Haverhill-Lawrence RR. scheme.

— Mr. H. A. Smith, the firstclass blacksmith on Walnut street, moved his family from Wakefield to Chestnut street, this place, last Wednesday, and has become a permanent resident of Woburn.

— The Central Square station will be thrown open for business when the new summer time-table goes into operation. Nothing has yet been heard from the managers of the road as to who is to be the station-agent.

— "The Musical Record," published by O. Ditson & Co., Boston is a leading musical monthly that pays to subscribe for. The May number is a particularly good one and contains an unusual amount of new music.

— The May Party given by the Unitarian church last Friday evening in Lyceum Hall was considerably interfered with by a heavy rain-storm and yet there was a good attendance and a pleasant season was enjoyed.

— Pleasing (?) solos and duets will soon be in order between the Woburn fire-alarm and its Wakefield brother. Let us hope that ours will not have much "blowing" to do.—*Wakefield Banner.* Electric Firealarm?

— Farmer Allen of the *Advertiser* came down out of the back medder the other afternoon, hied himself to the middle of the town and paid the Town Clerk $2 to license his dog. After which he said he felt very much relieved.

— It is expected the railroad company will esteem it a privilege to put in and maintain an electric light near the Pleasant street crossing, or rather, near its depot, and another at Church Avenue, or in the vicinity of that crossing.

— Frank L. White, the Boston ex-Councilman and former resident of this place, was convicted in the Suffolk county Superior Court last Monday on six counts for forging and uttering forged paper. Pretty rough on the young gentleman.

— Officer McIntosh looks like a veteran promenading up and down the streets in his blue coat, brass buttons and helmet. The police official step which every member has to adopt or be discharged must be an easy one for a lazy man to learn.

— The Assessors started out on their work last Monday in which there will be no let-up until every man's and woman's earthly possessions situated in Woburn are duly listed for taxation. They are quite likely to find it warm work before they get through.

— Mr. Alvah Buckman has occupied his present place of business 30 years —just 30 years last Monday since he moved into it. He has seen some changes in Woburn since May 1, 1857, and there will be more and greater ones in the next three decades of years.

— Mr. Martin Ellis has got the buildings on the Dow lot corner of Main street and Church Avenue all cleared off for the new block. He has a good deal of building-moving on hand not only here but at Waltham, Newton, Newton Lower Falls, and elsewhere.

— Mr. George S. Haskell, manager of the Globe Clothing Co's establishment in Trull Block, went to Waldoboro, Maine, last week to attend the funeral of his grandfather, who died in Illinois the week before. He found the worst sort of weather and roads down there.

— From the number of bicycles and riders seen skimming along the streets every evening it is fair to presume that the Woburn Bicycle Club is in a prosperous condition. The membership was quite large last year, and the last we heard about the Club it was growing.

— Breed Brothers of Lynn have been awarded the contract by the Stoneham Street Railroad Co. to build its car-house, stables and shops on Salem street and have already commenced operations. The buildings are large but gangs of men will drive the work and finish it in season for use.

— There is to be a grand polo match this evening at Carter's Academy between the Hartfords and Woburns for the benefit of the latter team. Not only will the game be a very interesting one, but Woburn people ought to fill the Academy and give the boys a rousing benefit. See to it, now, that they get it.

— In accordance with the rules and regulations Col. W. E. Carter, owner and manager of the Woburn Skating Academy, has announced his polo team for next season as follows: John Phelan, Charles Pierce, W. S. McKay, H. S. Smith, Frank E. Bolan, C. M. Flanders, Henry Howard, M. Fuller —about the same members that have heretofore composed the team. We shall expect good work from them next fall and winter.

— Couldn't complain of the weather last Wednesday unless it was thought to be a great deal too hot. It was about as sudden an advent of summer—the very middle and core of summer at that—as we just now remember ever to have experienced. We forgot to look at the thermometer but the mercury was away up in the pictures.

— The late Mrs. Mary Jane Keyes, willed to the American Board of Foreign Missions $1000; American Missionary Association for Freedmen in the South $1000; Woman's Board of Missions $1000; Woburn Home for Aged Women $2000. Ruth Maria Leathe, sister of the deceased, is Executrix of the will.

— Mr. Jacob M. Ellis, the Woburn stone-mason, builder, etc. has gangs of men at work in Woburn, Somerville, Winchester, Cambridge, etc. At Somerville he is building the Milk Row depot; at Winchester, putting down the foundation for the new Town Hall; at Cambridge, a round-house, and so on. Business is good this spring with a flattering prospect ahead.

— The May crowning and children's procession at the St. Charles church last Sunday afternoon was a very beautiful and interesting ceremony. As usual it was under the direction of the Sisters and was witnessed with great pleasure by a large audience. In flowers, music, and numbers of bright, nicely dressed children the ceremonies were full better and more attractive than last year.

— That was a very pleasant and enjoyable sociable and entertainment held in the Congregational Church parlor Thursday evening of last week. The young people came together under the auspices of the Society of Christian Endeavor and, notwithstanding the severe storm, the large room was crowded. Many words of commendation were expressed concerning those who so pleasantly entertained the company.

— Quite a good many people from Down East who come to Boston on business slip out here when it gets near night and put up with landlord Jones at the Windsor. They prefer the food, the cooking, the beds, the air and the cordial treatment of the Windsor to that found in the city. Mr. Jones is a very popular landlord and his house is full all the time. He turns away applicants for board almost every day.

— The two double houses which Mr. Leonard is building on what was the Bacon estate on Pleasant street are about completed and ready for tenements. Mr. Leonard will move out here and occupy the most westerly of the houses all of which are large, well arranged, pleasantly located and in everyway desirable. Each has gas, hot and cold water, heated by furnace, and is provided with all other modern improvements.

— Last Tuesday Mr. William Winn of William Winn & Co., auctioneers, was licensed for the 55th consecutive year an auctioneer. He is about 77 years old therefore has been an auctioneer all the time since he was in the neighborhood of 22 years old. He has probably sold more property five times over at public vendue than other man in Middlesex county. Together he and his partner, Mr. E. Prior, do about all the auctioneering in this part of the county.

— Superintendent Jones put the open street cars on last Monday for the first time this spring, and they were well patronized. A trip from one end of the line to the other towards the close of a warm, bright, summer day is as much of a pleasure excursion as we would ask, and three or four of them during the summer would be as good as a voyage to Europe. Both the North Woburn and the Stoneham lines will rapidly become very popular for just such pleasant summer-day drives and trips to the beaches.

— The attendance and interest in Mr. Cummings's trade symposium at his store last Thursday and Friday was more gratifying to the proprietor and Mrs. Cummings than on any former similar occasion. On Friday afternoon the number of visitors was very large indeed, and scores of ladies not only enjoyed the excellent coffee and cake but also an examination of the beautiful millinery and other goods handsomely arranged for inspection. Mr. and Mrs. Cummings were more than well pleased with the whole affair.

— We see that Bro. Hobbs of the Woburn JOURNAL has been elected a member of the executive committee on the local Board of Trade. That's all right. But where is Bro. Mark Allen of the *Advertiser*? If he was a member of the Board, the two would make things hum, and Woburn would have more business than she could attend to. —*Reading Chronicle.* Farmer Allen has a new dog to look after nowdays and it ought'nt to be expected of him to attend to that and belong to the Board of Trade too.

— A fine musical and literary entertainment was given in the Baptist church last evening for the benefit of the Music Fund of the church which was a success. The artists were from Boston and comprised the best talent to be found in the lines essayed, for example, John Francis Gilder, Miss Ella M. Chamberlain, Elmore A. Pierce, the reader, and others. The execution of the fine programme afforded great pleasure to a large, intelligent audience, and on the whole the Music Fund must have been considerably benefitted by the concert.

— There is no sort of need of men going to Boston to buy the very best of ready-made clothing cheap for they can be accommodated with all they want right here in Woburn. No better or more stylish clothing is kept at any establishment in the city than Woburn can show to customers and it is an undisputed fact that the prices are lower here than there. People don't display good sense in going to Boston for such goods. There are five or six large, firstclass clothing stores in this village where large stocks in great variety of wares are kept and where everything—clothing, neckwear, underclothing, hats, caps, notions, fancy goods, etc.,—can be bought full as low as anywhere else in Massachusetts. So that anybody can see how foolish and nonsensical it is to post off to Boston for goods that can be bought at home for less money.

— Col. W. T. Grammer has a card in this paper to which we call particular attention. He has some very desirable real estate for building purposes in his hands for sale and people who wish to buy will do well to call at his office 192 Main street and see him about location, prices, terms, etc. Owners of real estate property too who wish to sell or otherwise dispose of the same will find it advantageous to put it into Col. Grammer's hands for that purpose. Just at present he has some nice lots for sale in desirable neighborhoods. Read his card.

— A dog which some thought was mad created considerable stir on Main street Monday afternoon. He had on a nameless collar and appeared on the scene without owner or companions and badly out of humor. He snapped at the limbs of a Boston man; bit John Sweetser, a clerk in J. W. Hammond's clothing store quite badly on one of his legs and tore his trousers considerably; made a dash at J. W. Johnson, and tried to bite others. The Police were notified and the dog was finally shot and killed at Central Square by Officer McIntosh.

— Members of the Boston Water Board were here again last Tuesday en route from the Shawsheen. They went to Wilmington by train where they were met by several hacks from this place and brought to the Central House for dinner. These Boston officials are heavy fellows on the trencher especially after a brisk morning ride, but Landlord Cobb was equal to the emergency and provided a most excellent dinner for the gentlemen. There is considerable doubt about the Legislature granting Boston the right to take water from the Shawsheen this year.

— Lewis L. Whitney, Esq., Executor of the will of the late Deacon Benjamin Millet, advertises this week to sell the real estate of said deceased on Pleasant and Court streets at auction on May 12, next. The property is among the most desirable in town for residence purposes and will doubtless fetch a handsome price. It is within two or three minutes walk of the depot of the B. & L. RR., equally as handy to the street cars which will soon run directly by the estate, the Public Library is less than a stone's throw away, and the site is as sightly and pleasant as anything can be. At its tax assessment the place will yield a handsome return as an investment.

— The Board of Engineers organized last Saturday evening by the choice of Clarence Littlefield, Chief, and John Breslin, Clerk. The salary of Charles Buckley, driver and house-keeper of Hook and Ladder No. 1, was increased to $800. He asked for $900 which sum the Selectmen were willing to pay, but the Board of Engineers would not agree to it and the matter is still undecided. Mr. Buckley is a faithful officer and the Department all like him. It is somewhat remarkable that during his service as driver for the H. & L. in no single instance has more than 20 seconds elapsed between the first stroke of the fire-bell and his truck leaving the house, which all must admit is quick work. He does the business well and is worthy of good pay.

— Fifty or sixty years ago, when Woburn was a small place and people went to bed as soon as the cows were milched and the hens flew to roost, lighting the streets by the almanac answered well enough, but since it has grown to a size which entitles it to a city charter it is about time to abandon this almanac folly and try something else. We enjoyed some of its beauties on a few evenings last week when if it hadn't been for Mr. Simonds's electric lights the town would have been in total darkness for several hours. Another old fashioned habit of our town is to put the street lights out at 11 o'clock, when all communities with modern ideas and all such as think any thing of themselves and want to be thought well of by other people keep the lights burning until daybreak in the morning. When men or communities get into ruts how hard it is for them to get out.

— The meeting of the Board of Trade last Wednesday evening to consider the matter of the Chapman valve matter was a good-sized and animated one. A warm interest was manifested in it and $4,000 was subscribed then and there. Mr. Marshal M. Tidd, one of the foremost civil engineers in the country, and Mr. Davis, an old locomotive engineer and a thorough machinist, both pronounced the valve a very valuable one, in the manufacture of which there must be much money. The question of securing the location of its manufacture here was discussed, and after the $4,000 had been subscribed a committee of five, consisting of James Skinner, Eustace Cummings, B. F. Whittemore, F. A. Flint and L. B. Russell, were appointed to canvass the town for subscriptions and make an early report to the Board. It is a strong, energetic committee, the members of which are deeply interested in the town, believers in the Chapman Valve, and it now looks as though the necessary $25,000 would be raised and Woburn secure another important manufactory.

— The carnival at Carter's Academy last Wednesday evening was visited by many hundreds of people and was one of the grandest affairs that ever took place in that great rink. Many of the costumes were rich and costly, others were the oddest that could well be imagined, and all were striking and appropriate. Several grand prizes were offered by Mr. Carter for the best special features in costume and secured as follows:

For Lady's Handsomest Costume, Pair of Opera Glasses—Mrs. Emma Bessom, Lynn.
For Gent's Handsomest Costume, Silver Ice Pitcher—Mr. E. C. Clay, Boston.
For Lady's Most Original Costume, Rattan Rocker—Miss Sadie Poor, Cambridge.
For Gent's Most Original Costume, Silver Headed Cane—Mr. J. A. O'Brien, Waltham.
For Best Historical Representation, Steel Engraving and Frame—Miss Annie Shea, Woburn.
For Best Dude Representations, Slippers—Joseph McDermitt, Lynn.
For Lady's Best Paper Costume, Opera Fan—Bertha Bradley, Woburn.
For Lady's Japanese Costume, Picture Easel—Mrs. Johnson.
For Gent's Japanese Costume, Smyrna Rug—Henry Harris, Woburn.
For Lady's Most Comical Costume, Lemonade Set—Miss Katie Reddy, Woburn.
For Gent's Most Comical Costume, Castor—Peter McCue, Woburn.
For Girl's Most Handsome Costume, Crystal Ice Cream Set—Miss Mamie Logue, Woburn.
For Boy's Most Handsome Costume, Set of Silver Tea Forks—Master Harney, Woburn.
For Best Representation of Bird, Hammock—William Wilmot, Woburn.

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Meetings of the Selectmen.

The Board held an adjourned meeting on last Friday evening to hear and act on the reports of committees, and transact other business. All the members were in their seats. Chairman James Skinner presided, and Mr. Clerk Ferguson kept the records.

After several petitions had been read by the Clerk and properly referred the resignation of Mr. W. R. McIntosh as Chief of Police was presented, read, and accepted. Immediately, on motion, the Board proceeded to elect a Chief to fill the vacancy when Wilmot D. Nelson, who has held the office the last two years, was unanimously elected. Bryan McSweeney having resigned from the regular force, an election to fill the vacancy was ordered which resulted in 8 votes for W. R. McIntosh and one for C. H. Kean. These proceedings caused great wonder and surprise in the town. By nearly everybody it was entirely unexpected, and it is not absolutely certain that some members of the Board were not as much surprised as anybody.

Col. Grammer moved to reconsider the vote of a former session of the same meeting whereby the Chief of Police was made Milk and Vinegar Inspector and the same was voted. Thereupon F. B. Leeds was reappointed Inspector on last year's terms. The petitions of W. W. Hill and C. H. Buss for Apothecaries', or sixth class, licenses were granted, and the meeting adjourned.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board was held on last Tuesday afternoon at which all the members were present with Chairman Skinner in the Chair. Considerable business of importance was disposed of as follows:

The monthly reports of the Chief of Police, Collector of Taxes, and Milk and Vinegar Inspector were received and filed. From the latter it appeared that 28 milk licenses had been issued in the period covered by the report; 16 analyses of milk made, and 3 of Vinegar.——William Winn, Esq., was granted a license as auctioneer, which was the 55th consecutive one received by him.——George A. Loring, Fred B. Leeds and George S. Dodge were granted druggists' licenses to sell intoxicating liquors, on application.——Voted to admit the reporters of the press to all business meetings.——The remaining articles of the Town Warrant which were referred to the Selectmen were referred to different committees. ——Several petitions for pool-tables, etc., were received and duly referred. ——The monthly bills were allowed.

Election of Fire Companies.

The following companies had not reported their annual elections when we went to press last week:

John Cummings Hose 3.—Foreman, Peter Lafferty; Assistant Foreman, Lewis C. Breslin; Clerk and Treasurer, Frank Tracy; Steward, Neil Noon; Driver, Patrick McCafferty.

Highland Hose 5.—Foreman, Robert W. King; Assistant Foreman, Alfred K. Fetridge; Clerk and Treasurer, E. F. Tebbetts; Steward, Marshal E. Smith.

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Settled at Last.

It is very doubtful if the organization of the new police force could easily be improved upon, and not only so but it appears to give satisfaction to the public. The issue of the JOURNAL of date before this contained an announcement that Mr. W. R. McIntosh would not resign, as some predicted, but would abide by the appointment of himself and go to work, and we have been jeered at considerably because the office was finally filled by another individual, to wit, Mr. Nelson. Now, the JOURNAL had good reason for its statement, namely, no less an authority than Mr. McIntosh himself who, only a few hours before the final action, informed our reporter that he was in the Chief's chair to stay, and that there would be no change of programme. Shortly after that interview however Mr. McIntosh saw fit to alter his mind, and the result was the election of Mr. Nelson by a unanimous vote.

Although the appointment of Mr. Nelson was very agreeable to the feelings of the JOURNAL and believed by it the best and most judicious that could have been made, yet there was something quite curious in the way it was brought about, if indeed anyone really knows how it was done. There was evidently a remarkable change of attitude towards Mr. Nelson on the part of a good many men. A petition for his appointment was signed by a few prominent gentlemen nearly if not all of whom were but recently bitterly opposed to him, but the petition did not reach the Board of Selectmen, and what influence, if any, it had in bringing about Mr. McIntosh's resignation and Mr. Nelson's appointment nobody that the JOURNAL has enquired of seems to know.

However, the Board of Selectmen acted wisely and for the best interests of the town, in our judgment, when it accepted Mr. McIntosh's resignation, but more particularly when it appointed Mr. Nelson to fill the vacancy. The former was elected a member of the regular force and will no doubt fill the bill in the very best shape. The latter has been Chief for two years during which time he has, in the opinion of those who have been favored with glimpses behind the scenes, obeyed instructions to the letter and thus proved himself made of metal from which the best and most efficient executive officers are turned out. That Mr. Nelson will fearlessly, impartially, and with good judgment obey the orders and carry out the wishes of the Board of Selectmen this year no one need doubt for a moment. If they want the liquor law enforced against sellers he will enforce it honestly, squarely and to the letter, and so it will be with the execution of all other laws. Therefore, we repeat, it is the judgment of the JOURNAL that the Selectmen have done well in organizing the police force, and that it would be a difficult thing to find a better Chief, or more intelligent, faithful and efficient members to carry out his orders.

Clear as Mud.

Woburn, which has voted prohibition, ought not to sneer at Medford, which has not, for time may prove that its sudden assumption of righteousness is a form of intemperance more injurious for the time being than license appeared to be in the light of its new resolutions, and quite as disastrous to its self-respect. Let it not be forgotten that all are laboring with one end in view, and, therefore, Medford, having failed to prevent the evil of drink entirely, has just as much right to prevent it as far as it can as Woburn has to try to prevent it entirely after it had failed entirely to retain it.—*Riverside News.*

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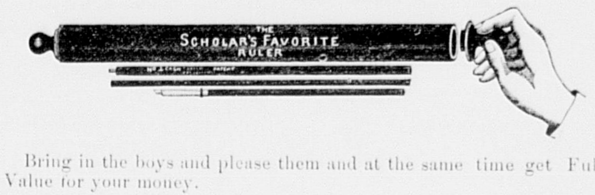

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A splendid suit of Men's Fine Tailor-Made Clothes, $3 49, guaranteed worth $13 or money returned. We give you the privilege to look in any store in the city, and, if this $3 49 suit can be got for less than $13, we agree to return the $3.49. An elegant pair of men's dark-mixed Cassimere Pants, $1 15, guaranteed worth $5 or money returned. Extra fine Tailor-made Men's Suits $6 99 worth $15. Also, 10,000 different finest quality Silk and Satin lined Suits. The finest quality Men's Fur Derby Hats, $1 05, latest style and guaranteed worth $3 50 or money returned, and thousands of other bargains we cannot mention here at 856 Washington street, Boston. Pass two streets above Kneeland street, then look for the number 856. Remember this great assignee sale commences today at 10 o'clock and must close in seven days; building will remain open till 9 at night. Be careful you get into the right place. Look outside before you go in, and unless you go into a 5 story white marble building you will get into the wrong place.

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Greatest Variety of $3.00 Shoes in Woburn: **DOUGLAS, JOHNSON, WHITMAN, KEYSTONE, FRANKLIN, WALKENPHAST,** in 4 widths—3, 4, 5, 6 wide.

Best $2.50 MEN'S CALF shoes in the market, 4, 5, 6, 7 wide—Button, Congress and Lace.

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Splendid Variety of Men's fine VEAL CALF shoes. 4, 5, 6 wide: Button, Congress and Lace, Box-toes and plain, warranted in every particular, $2.00

Smith's French Kid Button Boots, $3.00 and $3.50, S, M, F, FF, W wide. Smith's American Kid, $2.50. Phelan's Kid and Goat boots, C, D, E, $2.00.

All kinds of REPAIRS done at Moderate prices: front and back stays stitched on Ladies fine Kid Boots: also New gorings put into all kinds of shoes.

AT LEATHE'S buy your shoes for all kinds of weather;
He has them all made from good solid leather;
Please remember 201 Main is the street;
Buy your shoes there and you'll never get beat.

WINCHESTER.

Winchester is growing faster than it ever did before.

Arthur Whitney is no longer Truant Officer. He wouldn't keep it.

The Unitarian Church have secured the services of Stuart Bishop for sexton.

Work will be pushed on the new Town House right straight along until it is ready for use. A good committee has the business in hand.

Mr. Edwin Robinson of this place is President of the Boston Fruit and Produce Exchange and Mr. Warren C. Knox, also of this place, is the Secretary.

General John L. Swift will deliver the address here on Memorial Day in one of the churches in the evening. The Maplewood Band will furnish the music.

Mr. Twombly and Mr. Boynton, enterprising Westsiders, contemplate extensive improvements for that part of the town this season by building several fine houses.

Mr. S. C. Small will deliver the Memorial Day oration at Bethel, Maine. He is a Maine man, and is an officer of the Maine Veteran Association of Boston.

Mr. Stephen Cutter, now in his 87th year, a gentleman of the old and polite school, attends church regularly and is as hale and hearty as men a good deal younger usually are.

General Corse and family have left the Berkeley in Boston and returned to their summer residence in this village. They are strongly attached to Winchester and have many good friends here.

The idea of closing the stores in this village four week-day evenings in the week is not popular with the traders or people. The heft of the fault is found by the customers and I doubt if the thing runs very long.

No. 1, Vol. 3, of "The Winchester Record" has just been published. It contains a large amount of useful information and several portraits of Winchester citizens of now and formerly that add to its worth.

The assets of the Winchester Savings Bank amount to $380,784.78, and the amount due to depositors is $360,919.45. Mr. D. N. Skillings is the Treasurer of the Bank which is as sound and safe as any institution of the kind in the country.

Mr. John B. Rhodes, who spends the hot months in his cottage at Marblehead Neck, has recently been elected President of the New England Yacht Racing Association, for which position he is well fitted.

A Lodge of Good Templars was organized here last Saturday evening in Livingstone Hall. Temperance is getting a mighty grip in this town and it won't be long before there will be no rumselling within its borders.

The fight next season between the Ayer and Twombly factions will be a bitter one. Both are determined to rule the town. Organizations will probably be joined in the interest of both candidates. The work of the present administration will be watched by the Twombly interest, and every advantage taken of weak points.—*Boston Globe*. Fudge! The *Globe* has a knack of beating the world at finding mares' nests, and this is one of its freshest ones. There is no truth in the above item.

James McGinness, aged about 21 years, was almost instantly killed by the 10 o'clock evening train from Woburn last Saturday. He was returning from Woburn on that train and in leaving it he was in some way drawn under the wheels of the car which crushed both legs and probably otherwise injured him as he died in a few minutes. He worked at Loring & Avery's tannery and was a young man of steady habits and well thought of. A cousin in Woburn and a sister in Roxbury were his only relatives in this country.

The visit of Rev. B. Fay Mills to Winchester is coming to be looked up with the interest it demands. The Union meetings for prayer held this week have been of marked solemnity, the attendance increasing from night to night. All required arrangements for the meetings have easily been made including that of a large volunteer choir. Evidently Christians and others are looking upon the meetings which are to begin on Sunday as their long sought opportunity. Remarks are now frequently heard which carry the import that by the proper consecration and effort a lasting benefit to all the people of the town may be realized.

Mr. William E. Cumings, a Woburn dry goods merchant who resides here, was driving out last Sunday afternoon with his wife, two children and Miss Simonds, a teacher in the Boston schools, when the horse suddenly started, became unmanagable and ran away in spite of Mr. Cumings's efforts to prevent him. It occurred near Spot Pond in Stoneham. After running about a mile at the top of his speed the horse shied, left the road, ran on to a bank and upset the carryall, but was caught at the same moment and stopped. Mr. Cumings was thrown out but the other inmates of the carriage remained aboard until removed through its side door. Miss Simonds had her left arm broken in two places, which was set by physicians at Melrose Highlands, when she was taken to Mr. Cumings's home in this village, and Dr. Defriez of Woburn, the family physician, summoned. It was a fortunate escape from a very serious catastrophe.

BURLINGTON.

The Assessors are making their annual visitation.

Mr. Charles H. Walker has a fine display of pansies at his greenhouse.

Mr. Otis C. Haven has purchased the house and land, formerly owned by Mr. Curtis White.

Mr. S. W. Rodman and family intend to spend the summer at their residence in Burlington.

There seems to be an increase in the canine population this spring. Owners of dogs should at once apply for licenses.

Rev. Mr. Smith of Bedford will preach at the church next Sunday morning, and Mr. A. E. Brown will lecture in the evening on "Snares."

DRY GOODS HOUSE OF A. CUMMINGS,

150 & 151 MAIN STREET.

Elegant Parasols in great variety.
Corsets, a new line at 71 cents. SPECIAL.
Handkerchiefs for Gent's, beautiful borders, 5 for 25 cents, worth 15 cents each.
Ribbon Remnants, very low.
Lace Edging, Linen, 2, 3 and 4 cents, a good SPECIAL.
Hamburgs, a new lot.

Executive Committee Meeting.

Last Tuesday evening the Executive Committee of the Board of Trade held a meeting at the Rooms to organize for the year, that is to say, to make up the sub-committees. Mr. Eustace Cummings, the Chairman, was unavoidably absent, and Mr. James Skinner was chosen to preside which position he reluctantly accepted, and H. N. Conn, was at the desk. The meeting was large and one of the best that has been held for some time. Gentlemen were present who for one reason and another have been absent for several months and it was pleasant and cheering to see them there again. There were new faces on the Committee, meaning by the expression that there were faces of new members, and as they are prominent men that fact too was encouraging. It must have been evident to the most casual observer that a deep interest is taken in the prosperity and success of the Board by every member of its Executive Committee. The meetings are attended constantly by our most prominent business men, those of the highest social standing, gentlemen of means, and those who not only have the disposition but the ability to do the town good. There is more of a business ring than ever to the speeches of the meetings and an evident inclination on the part of all to reach out and secure more manufacturing establishments for our town. The third year of the Board's life has set in auspiciously and bids fair to yield the very best results for the material interests of Woburn.

A committee appointed by Chairman Skinner, consisting of W. N. Titus, B. F. Whittemore and W. W. Hill, reported the following special committees which report was adopted:

Membership: Winthrop Hammond, F. A. Flint, F. S. Burgess W. W. Hill, Gilman F. Jone .

Finance: John S. True, Jacob Brown, Benjamin Hinckley, J. W. Hammond, H. C. Hall.

Business: N. J. Simonds, F. H. Lewis, James Skinner, William H. Smith, B. F. Whittemore, John Winn, J. B. McDonald.

Printing: George A. Hobbs, C. W. Smith, William N. Titus.

Legislative: William N. Titus, Parker L. Converse, John G. Maguire, Jacob Brown, George Buchanan, N. J. Simonds, F. S. Burgess.

Public Improvements: Fred H. Lewis, C. M. Strout, Alex Grant, B. F. Kimball, William H. Smith, Gilman F. Jones, George A. Hobbs.

Railroads and Transportation: B. F. Whittemore, James Skinner, Eustace Cummings, John Winn, B. F. Kimball, J. B. McDonald, Benjamin Hinckley.

Lecture and Entertainment: Winthrop Hammond, H. C. Hall, J. K. Murdock.

Some few changes were suggested but none of importance were made and the committee's report were virtually adopted as a whole. Some business matters were subsequently discussed. Mr. F. S. Burgess in a brief speech paid a handsome compliment to the JOURNAL for the influence it has had in bringing about the present almost unprecedented prosperity of the town and the good work it has done for this community generally, which remarks dropped very pleasantly on the blushing editorial ear. It is a fact that a good, live, well-conducted local newspaper is a power in building up and promoting the growth and business of any place that has a foundation to build on, and this is said without making any claim to having published such a paper, the assertions of our good friend Burgess to the contrary notwithstanding. The spirit of progress evidently has a deep hold on the Board of Trade; the members are wide-awake to the well-being of the town; the determination to build it up is strong, and there can be no sort of doubt but that its work during the current year will yield better fruit than ever in the way of public improvements.

Good speeches full of enthusiasm and encouragement followed that of Mr. Burgess by Messrs. George Buchanan, William H. Smith, J. B. McDonald, Judge P. L. Converse and Major H. C. Hall and others. Each speaker expressed confidence in the ability of the Board of Trade to do a great work for Woburn and full faith in its future career of usefulness.

Street Lighting.

A rough outline of the contract made by the Selectmen with the Woburn Electric Light Company for lighting the streets of the central part of the town runs something like this: The company will furnish 40 lamps to cover the ground now occupied by gas which will run until 12 o'clock every night when there is no moonlight, and 7 of them will continue to burn until daylight. These latter will be placed in the business centre—near the Common, on Main street, foot of Montvale Avenue, Pleasant street, and some other localities perhaps—and prove of great utility to the community. The "dark hours" so called, which are hours between daylight-down and moon-rising on those evenings in each month when the moon is relied on for general illumination, will be lighted by Mr. Simonds at no extra expense to the town, also at any other hours during those evenings when artificial light may seem necessary. Mr. Simonds readily conceded all the points insisted on by the Committee and Board and met them in a more liberal spirit than a due regard for his personal interests required. But that is his way.

The illumination of the business portion of the village and the resident portion bordering on it is a step ahead in the adoption of "modern improvements," and carries the appearance of a permanent change in our street-lighting. We all used to feel that gas for an illuminator was about as far as science could reach, but it was a mistake, for electricity is supplanting it, and where it will all end nobody can tell. But go as fast as, and land where, it may Woburn is bound to keep up with the procession and have the best there is going or know the reason why. Gas was all right so long as there was nothing better, but when electricity put in its claim of superiority and proved it, why right away Woburn wanted some of it and Mr. Simonds went to work and at once gratified their wishes. And now we are to have the streets lighted by the arc light and everything is lovely.

To Remove to Woburn.

DOVER, N. H., May 2.—Clement & Wellington, tanners and curriers, who have been doing business in the Bellamy mill building for some time past, are about to move to Woburn, Mass., where they believe they can have better facilities and manufacture at less cost.—*Dispatch*.

Although filling up pretty rapidly there is room left for more wideawake, energetic, intelligent, go-ahead tanners and curriers in this great leather-manufacturing center and we not only extend the hand of welcome to the above firm but heartily approve of their choice of location and appreciate their good sense in selecting it. In the business of making leather Woburn overshadows all other New England places and leads them largely in capital invested in it, men employed, number of factories, amount of product, etc., and is increasing the distance between herself and her competitors every year. The business has grown to great proportions and naturally everyone seeking the best locations for carrying it on is told or in some way induced to cast his eyes in this direction, to visit the town, and ultimately settle among us.

No place anywhere offers better facilities for carrying on manufacturing enterprises than Woburn. It is located close to Boston, just 10 miles away; supplied with railroad accomodations that are equal to the best enjoyed by the residents in Boston's suburbs and with a prospect for even better in the near future; with five RR. stations on the "Loop," and three or four on the old line within her limits; enjoying all "modern improvements", such as the best Water Works in New England built at a cost of over half a million of dollars; electric lighting of streets and buildings; better gas than Boston is supplied with; the best of schools; a magnificent Public Library containing over 25,000 volumes and a large, beautiful Art gallery, museum, etc., and other things equally desirable and attractive to the seekers after new homes.

Besides being a great leather-producing place a large number of other kinds of manufactures is carried on here and to them additions are going on and in contemplation. An enumeration and some description of them will be given in the JOURNAL in the course of a few weeks from now. In the mean time people seeking the very best locations for establishing themselves in manufacturing, especially in the leather business, will find it for their interests to visit Woburn where the Board of Trade and citizens will extend to them a cordial welcome if their credentials are all right, and put them on the track that leads to success.

Wilmington.

Henry Sheldon was awarded the contract to raise the grades of the bridge approaches on the B. & L. RR. and began work last Tuesday.

"The Spade" in the Lowell *Journal* thus speaks of the business boom in this town: There never was a time within the memory of the oldest inhabitant when real business and prosperity waltzed together so charmingly as now. The railroad bridges are being raised to accommodate Asiatic and Canadian Pacific travel. A new schoolhouse is to be built. Heavy sales of corn salve are reported. Peddlers of coal oil wicks and snuff boxes abound. It is a little early for tramps, but they are getting more numerous every day. Freshly painted butcher carts, with handsome, white-aproned attendants, greet one with substantial smiles. Painters and grainers and grocers' retainers walk briskly along the streets. The establishment of a board of trade is imminent. Real estate is booming. Capitalists are concentrating around Silver lake, and numerous fine residences are marked for construction on the shores of that inland sea. Horse trades are fairly active, and the market is well stocked with cows warranted not to jump over a fence eight feet high. A brass band has not as yet appeared above the horizon. Uhis is the only thing lacking to complete the picture of plenty.

"The Winchester Record."

We are indebted to Col. Abijah Thompson for a copy of the latest issue of "The Winchester Record" which is No. 1 of Vol. 3, and tender him our thanks for the same. The number is of the ordinary size and fully as interesting as usual. Mr. Cooke, the able and diligent Secretary of the Winchester Historical and Genealogical Society, has entertaining contributions to it on themes which possess great interest to the people there; Mr. W. R. Cutter, the librarian of the Woburn Public Library, has a readable article on "Long Bridge," and there are other papers of historical value. The number also contains portraits of all the postmasters that have held the office there during the period when Winchester was South Woburn and after its incorporation into a town. There are also likenesses of the undertakers of the place, and, on the whole, the number is an excellent one.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

EPISCOPAL.—Preaching by Rev. Dr. Harris at 3 p. m. Seats free. Sunday School at 2 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.—At 10.30 a. m. Rev. Mr. Winn will preach; young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; Sunday School Concert at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

METHODIST.—Preaceing by Rev. G. Beekman of Boston at 10.30 a m.; young peoles' Meeting at 6 p.m.; General praise and prayer service at 7 p. m. C. L. S. C. on Tuesday evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Class meetings Friday evening at 7.30

BAPTIST.—Preaching by Dr. March at 10.30 a. m.; young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; short sermon by the pastor at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7.30. Annual Church meeting on Thursday evening at 7.30. Young peoples' meeting on Friday evening.

North Woburn.

Rev. C. J. Staples will preach in the Chapel in this village on next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

"Seen and Heard"

In *The Boston Evening Record* is the liveliest column of gossip printed in any Boston paper.

They All Like It.

What? *The Boston Sunday Record*. That is, everybody whom it does not show up. Order it Saturday.

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And honest sporting criticism every evening in *The Boston Record*.

Humors run riot in the blood at this season. Hood's Sarsaparilla expels every impurity and vitalizes and enriches the blood.

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HALE'S HONEY is the best Cough Cure, 25, 50c., $1.
GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP heals and beautifies, 25c.
GERMAN CORN REMOVER kills Corns & Bunions, 25c.
HILL'S HAIR & WHISKER DYE—Black & Brown, 50c.
PIKE'S TOOTHACHE DROPS cure in 1 Minute, 25c.
DEAN'S RHEUMATIC PILLS are a sure cure. 50c.

Isn't Dyspepsia an irritation, and Indigestion enough of an aggravation, without your taking an alcoholic medicine to still further irritate and aggravate your stomach, disturb your liver, and weaken your kidneys? Then why drink bottles of whiskey concoctions when a sure, safe, and reliable remedy for

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The only Reliable Remedy for

COUGHS COLDS CROUP and all diseases of the THROAT

Indorsed by Physicians, Used by thousands.

IT WILL CURE YOU.

NO OPIUM IN IT. Mothers, you can conquer that dreadful foe, CROUP, with it. Have it on hand and save the Child. Sold by Druggists. TRY IT

By W. H. SMITH & CO., No. 7 Exchange Place, Boston, Auctioneers and Real Estate Agents.

Will positively be sold at public auction, on the premises, THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1887, at 4 o'clock, P. M., the dwelling-house containing 8 large rooms and unfinished attics, and 14,000 feet of fine garden land, situated on Nashua street, near the railroad bridge and Montvale Avenue, Montvale, near the depot, schools, &c. Terms very easy. $100 to be paid at sale.

Also, at North Winchester on Baldwin street, near Cross street, and near depot, a fine large cottage house with 8 rooms and about 8,000 land, shade trees, &c., will be sold same day at 5 o'clock P. M., $100 to be paid at sale; the terms will be a few hundred dollars down, balance on mortgage. The above will be a splendid chance for a working man to secure a good homestead at a reasonable price on easy terms.

By order of THE WOBURN FIVE CENTS SAVINGS BANK.

Woburn, May 5, 1887.

In Tarrant's Seltzer you behold
A certain cure for young and old;
For Constipation will depart,
And Indigestion quickly start;
Sick Headache, too, will soon subside,
When Tarrant's Seltzer has been tried.

Geo. Woods Parlor Organ

For Sale cheap: ten stops, including sub-bass and octave coupler: nearly new and in first-class condition: been used very little. Apply to

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Machine Forgings.

We have lately added to our works a FORGING ROOMS and are now prepared to do all kinds of machine forging, bolts, &c. Gas and Water Piping a specialty: also Steam Heating for Houses with the LATEST IMPROVED BOILERS.

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Closing-out Sale of Millinery Goods

At very low prices for the next 30 days. Ladies and Children's Hats and Bonnets, 25 and 50 cents, worth 50 cents and $1.00. A few ready-trimmed Hats and Bonnets, new this season, $2.50 and $3.00. Other goods in proportion.

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8 Johnson street, Woburn.

Canada Horses.

I have just received and for sale, a car-load of prime CANADA HORSES. Can be seen at G. F. Jones's Central House Stables.

MARK C. FELCH.

FOR SALE.

A flat bottom BOAT, almost new, with oars and rowlocks. Just the thing for fishing. Prece, $7.00. Inquire of CHARLES B. LEATHE, Canal street, Woburn.

WANTED.

The address of ANNIE McCURDY, who moved from Peabody to Woburn. Any one sending same to D. B. H. POWER & CO., Marblehead, Mass., will be rewarded.

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SPECIAL BARGAINS

In Substantial and Well Made

Chamber Furniture

Black Walnut Chamber Sets,
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Painted Chamber Sets,

From $15 to $75.

We are offering also a line of

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In Hair Cloth, Embossed and Crushed Plush and Raw Silk at Prices that will make them extra bargains.

A Large Stock of CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, BEDDING, RANGES, BABY CARRIAGES, REFRIGERATORS, and everything needed to complete outfit for house furnishing, for cash or on

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Humors, Erysipelas, Canker, and Catarrh, Can be cured by purifying the blood with

I do not believe that Ayer's Sarsaparilla has an equal as a remedy for Scrofulous Humors. It is pleasant to take, gives strength and vigor to the body, and produces a more permanent, lasting, result than any medicine I ever used.—E. Haines, No. Lindale, O.

I have used Ayer's Sarsaparilla, in my family, for Scrofula, and know, if it is taken faithfully, it will thoroughly eradicate this terrible disease.—W. F. Fowler, M. D., Greenville, Tenn.

For forty years I have suffered with Erysipelas. I have tried all sorts of remedies for my complaint, but found no relief until I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. After taking ten bottles of this medicine I am completely cured.—Mary C. Amesbury, Rockport, Me.

I have suffered, for years, from Catarrh, which was so severe that it destroyed my appetite and weakened my system. After trying other remedies, and getting no relief, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and, in a few months, was cured.—Susan L. Cook, 909 Albany st., Boston Highlands, Mass.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is superior to any blood purifier that I have ever tried. I have taken it for Scrofula, Canker, and Salt-Rheum, and received much benefit from it. It is good, also, for a weak stomach.—Millie Jane Peirce, South Bradford, Mass.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla,

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Price $1; six bottles, $5.

By HOLBROOK & FOX, Auctioneers, Office, No. 12 Post Office Square, Boston.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by Robert Poole Searle of Boston, County of Suffolk, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to The Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank, a corporation duly established by law at Arlington, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth aforesaid, dated August 1, A.D. 1884, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib. 1675, Fol. 581, and for breach of the condition of said mortgage, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Wednesday, June 1, 1887, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described as follows, namely:—"A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in the easterly part of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, being lot numbered twenty-six (26) on a plan of land surveyed by Edward Bucknam for Daniel Ayer, called the 'Emerson Land,' recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, in Book of Plans No. 5, Page 23, to which reference is made for a full description of the same;" being the same premises conveyed to said Searle by said Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank by deed of even date with said mortgage.

$100 to be paid at sale. Other terms at sale.

THE ARLINGTON FIVE CENTS SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee.

By ABEL R. PROCTOR, Treasurer.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate in North Woburn.

By license of the Probate Court for the County of Middlesex, the subscriber, administrator of the estate of Sarah S. Marston, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday the twenty-first day of May, A. D., 1887, at five o'clock in the afternoon, the house and lot of land situate on the northerly side of Webster street, in that part of Woburn known as North Woburn, belonging to the estate of said Sarah S. Marston, and bounded westerly by land of James O. Cummings, there measuring about one hundred and fifty-two feet; northerly by land now, or formerly of Joseph Pierce, there measuring about sixty-nine feet; easterly by land of one Rooney, and land of William Poole, there measuring about one hundred fifty-eight and six-tenths feet; southerly by said Webster street, there measuring about sixty-nine feet. Said lot contains about forty square rods, and is the same premises described in a deed from Adoniram J. Watson and others to said Sarah S. Marston, dated December 19, 1864, and recorded in Middlesex South District Registry, Book 948, Page 504.

$100 will be required of the purchaser at time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.

EDWARD F. JOHNSON.

May 4, 1887.

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A second-hand COVERED WAGON, suitable for light provision trade. Inquire of

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From pure-bred, high scoring,

LIGHT BRAHMA FOWLS.

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FINE WATCH REPAIRING

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171 Main Street, Woburn.

Important Announcement!

135 dozens Slightly Imperfect Linen Handkerchiefs at two-thirds price, ranging from 4c. to 20c. each.

We have secured another lot of Handkerchiefs manufactured by the celebrated house of Henry Matier & Co., Belfast, Ireland, subject to such slight imperfections that they readily pass for perfect goods, and we warrant them all pure Linen and fast colors. An opportunity to purchase from such an extensive assortment, and at prices quoted, does not often occur, and we advise our customers to call early in the day.

Also several other lots not mentioned here. Many beautiful novelties among them in Double Hem-stitch, Block and Clear Lawn Handkerchiefs, both Colored and White.

These goods created quite a furor last spring. As the opportunity to obtain occurs only twice each year, our customers will consult their own interests by a prompt response.

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New Store! New Goods!

A complete new stock direct from New York markets.
Stylish trimmed Hats and Bonnets, and all the latest styles and novelties of the season.

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TOWN OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN,
Municipal Building,
Woburn, May 5, 1887.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that FREDERICK B. LEEDS has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a druggist of the sixth class, on the first floor No. 141 Main street.

JOHN FERGUSON, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN,
Municipal Building,
Woburn, May 5, 1887.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that WILLIAM W. HILL has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a druggist of the sixth class, on first floor No. 149 Main street.

JOHN FERGUSON, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN,
Municipal Building,
Woburn, May 5, 1887.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that GEORGE S. DODGE has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a druggist of the sixth class on the first floor of his store No. 165 Main street.

JOHN FERGUSON, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN,
Municipal Building,
Woburn, May 5, 1887.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that GEORGE A. LORING & Co., have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a druggist of the sixth class on the first floor at store No. 237 Main street, near corner of Union street. Said store being owned by Elbridge Trull.

JOHN FERGUSON, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN,
Municipal Building,
Woburn, May 5, 1887.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that CHARLES H. BUSS has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a druggist of the sixth class at store No. 176 Main street on the first floor of the brick building owned by the Trustees of Tufts College.

JOHN FERGUSON, Clerk.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

OFFICE OF

BOARD OF ENGINEERS,

OF THE

WOBURN FIRE DEPARTMENT.

WOBURN, Mass., April 14, 1887.

Owing to the prevalence of Grass Fires, the Chief Engineer of Fire Department calls attention to Public Statutes.

SECT. 13, CHAP 206. "Whoever is concerned in causing or making a bonfire within ten rods of a house or building shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars or imprisonment not exceeding one month.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

Notice is hereby given, that I, FREDERICK B. LEEDS, have been appointed

Inspector of Milk and Vinegar,

for the current year, in accordance with Section 1, Chapter 157 of the Public Statutes, also of Oleomargarine and Butterine, in accordance with Section 4, Chapter 317 of Public Statutes, and that all persons engaged in the sale of MILK, OLEOMARGARINE, or BUTTERINE, must be licensed for the same within thirty days from the date hereof.

FREDERICK B. LEEDS.

Woburn, Mass., May 2, 1887.

Sufferers

FROM

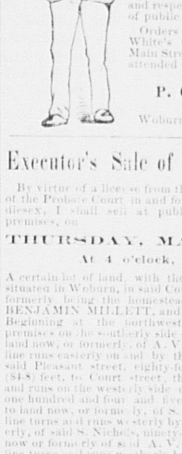
Severe Coughs

WEAK LUNGS, SPITTING of BLOOD, and the early stage of CONSUMPTION should use

Adamson's Botanic Balsam.

It has astonished most of the skilled Physicians. While it cures the Cough it strengthens the system and purifies the blood.

Sold by Druggists and Dealers.
Price 10 c., 35 c., and 75 c.



PURE

MILK.

I am engaged in sale and delivery of PURE MILK to the people of Woburn from my farm on Cambridge street, and respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

Orders left at Buckman & White's Grocery Store, 209 Main Street, will be promptly attended to.

P. G. HANSON,

Woburn, Jan. 18, 1886.

Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a license from the Honorable Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction, on the premises, on

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1887,

At 4 o'clock, P. M.,

A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, it formerly being the homestead of the late DEA. BENJAMIN MILLETT, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises on the southerly side of Pleasant street, by land now, or formerly, of A. V. Haynes; thence the line runs easterly on and by the southerly side of said Pleasant street, eighty-four and eight-tenths (84.8) feet, to Court street, thence the line turns and runs on the westerly side of said Court street, one hundred and four and five-tenths (104.5) feet, to land now, or formerly, of S. Nichols; thence the line turns and runs westerly by land, now or formerly, of said S. Nichols, ninety-two (92) feet, to land now or formerly of said A. V. Haynes; thence the line turns and runs northerly by land of said A. V. Haynes, one hundred and four and nine-tenths (104.9) feet, to the point of beginning. Said premises are within two minutes walk from railroad depot, horse cars, Woburn Public Library, and churches.

$100 will be required of purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.

LEWIS L. WHITNEY, Executor.

WM. WINN & Co., Auctioneers.

Woburn, Mass., April 22, 1887.

Administratrix Sale of Real Estate.

By license of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex dated April 27, 1887, the subscriber, administratrix of the estate of Kiernan J. Kenney, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises hereafter described, on the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D., 1887, at four o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the northerly side of Kilby street, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southerly corner of the premises on said Kilby street, at a stake at land of one Knowlton; from thence the line runs northwesterly by land of said Knowlton and by lands of Coughlan and Cummings, about thirty-seven rods and seven links, to a stake; thence a little more northerly, by other lands of said Kenney, about seven rods and six links, to another stake; thence northeasterly, by land of Thomas Caniffeld, about six rods and fifteen links, to another stake; thence southeasterly, by lands of Eaton and Kendall, about forty-four rods and nine links, to a stake at said Kilby street; thence southwesterly, on and by said Kilby street, about ten rods and six links to the point of beginning: Being the same premises described in two deeds to said Kiernan J. Kenney, one from Eliza W. Spalding, dated July 31, 1874, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1320, Page 546; and the other from John B. Tay, Jr., dated July 17, 1868, and recorded with said Deeds, Book 1046, Page 454. Said premises will be sold subject to the right of dower therein of Mary E. Kenney.

Terms Cash.

MARY E. KENNEY, Administratrix.

Woburn, May 5, 1887.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

By license of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, dated April 27, 1887, the subscriber, administrator of the estate of Rosanna Doherty, late of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises hereafter described, on the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D., 1887, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on John street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises on John street, and at lot No. 21 on a plan of house lots owned by R. B. Richardson and Hannah M. Parker, from thence the line runs easterly by said John street, forty-five (45) feet, to other land now, or formerly of said Richardson and Parker, thence northerly, by land last named, one hundred (100) feet, to land of E. N. Blake; thence westerly, by said Blake's land, forty-five (45) feet, to lot No. 21 on said plan; thence southerly, by said lot No. 21, one hundred (100) feet, to the point of beginning: Being lot No. 25, and part of lot No. 24, on said Richardson and Parker Plan, and the same premises conveyed by them to said Rosanna Doherty, by two deeds dated May 12, 1881, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1568, Page 35, and March 27, 1884, recorded with said Deeds, Books 1661, Page 428. The premises will be sold subject to the life tenancy of George Doherty. Terms Cash.

GEORGE DOHERTY, Administrator.

Woburn, May 5, 1887.

CHOICE SPRING

MILLINERY.

Particular attention given to orders by

Mrs. G. M. CHEEVER,

DESIGNER AND TRIMMER.

Stamping done in a thorough manner.

No. 2 Montvale Ave., Woburn, Mass.

FOR SALE.

The farm of the late LUTHER A. FOWLE, situated on Lexington street, about one mile west of Woburn Center, containing about NINETY ACRES—thirty acres of wood, the remainder divided into tillage, mowing, and pasture. The land is level, easy to work, very productive and is one of the most valuable and desirable farms in this vicinity, either for market gardening, general farming, stock raising, or dairy. The house is two story; contains nine rooms, and is in good condition. Large new barn, conveniently arranged and has cellar. The celebrated HIAWATHA GROVE, is on this farm: it is a popular resort for pleasure parties, and will yield a good income.

For further particulars inquire of

L. HOUGHTON ALLEN
East Street, Woburn, Mass.

FOR SALE.

A CARRYALL and OPEN BUGGY. Apply to GEO. H. MANN, 21 Franklin street, Woburn.

Woman's Column.

We make the following extract from a fine address delivered by Henry Ward Beecher in Cooper Institute, February 1861.

Experience has shown that as women are made to be worth more to society at large, and in public interests, they become richer at home, and are capable of building it better, and administering its duties and affections more skilfully and refinedly. Woman is not best in the family in those communities where she is most secluded. She is richest in all household excellence in those societies where she has liberty of widest activity, and motives to the exercise of her talents upon the largest scale. That vulgar maxim, worn smooth in fools' mouths, that a woman ought to stay at home and take care of her husband's clothes and her children's food, is a switch cut from that great tree of Arrogance under which despotic men have always sat, and from which the strong have always cut their bludgeons and cudgels wherewith to strike down or chastise the weak. A woman is better fitted for home who is also fit for something else. It is largeness, it is generous culture, it is power made skilful by exercise, that made both men and women rich in domestic life. Whatever makes her a better thinker, a larger minded actor, a deeper-thoughted observer, a more potent writer or teacher, makes her by just so much a better wife and mother. No one is a better friend for being ignorant. No one is a more tender companion for being weak and helpless. Our homes demand great hearts add strong heads; but these need the culture of open air and the free heavens. They are not of the hot-bed or conservatory.

But, although women are like men in this, that they are susceptible, indefinitely, of improvement, of augmentation of power of new applications of that power, yet we must not suppose that they are men over again, with only another name. The virile or the masculind influence and the feminine influence should be wedded as much in the thought world as in the physical world. They are two, they are different; and that is the very reason of their power when co-ordinated. Man, as a characteristic creature, thinks from the physical and the passionless standpoint; and this gives him power and outward victory. Woman thinks from the standpoint of affection and moral sentiment; and this gives her purity and rectitude. Now man, from his organization and education, taking the stronger, and coarser, and more outward forms, and woman, taking the serener, and higher, and more inward forms, united together constitute the whole trunk, leaf, and blossom, and make the perfect one. Each sex has something of the other's gifts, and each has a superiority of its own over the other; and the highest form of influence on the earth is that which blends both the peculiar woman-influence and the man-influence.

I do not ask, then, that woman should change her nature. That would spoil everything. We want her as a woman, and because she is a woman—not a man. We do not ask that she shall do what man does, as man does it; we ask that she shall do in her way the things that man does in his way. We ask that she shall bring the woman mind into those functions which have always needed it, which will always be partial without it, and which will ripen to their full disclosure of beauty and utility with it.

Therefore, we seek not to unsex woman, but to unite in public affairs what God put together, and what, from the beginning of the world, men have been keeping separate—namely, man's life and woman's life. I know of no reason why woman should not walk with equal steps and hand in hand with man from the cradle to the throne, and from the throne to the grave. There is not one thing that man ought to do, there is not one thing that out to be done, which woman ought not to be permitted to do, if she has the capacity for doing it. For wherever there is a gift there is a prophecy pointing to its use, and a silent command of God to use it.

But why this publicity? Why, not remain at home, and exert an influence upon public affairs through husband, father, brother?

Because, while woman is excluded with contempt from political duties, her advice and influence at home must always be at the minimum. If once she began to accept public patriotic duties, she then would exert a tenfold indirect influence at home. But now, men take it for granted that women know nothing of public affairs, and that all their suggestions must, of course, be the result of an ignorant simplicity. A woman is not made a safe adviser by being kept at home in ignorance of all public affairs; and, if she informs herself intelligently, then why should she not act just as much as a man? It is amusing to hear men, when pressed upon this point, enlarging upon the silent influence of woman, upon the sweetening home affections, upon their bland and gentle restraints, or excitements, and declaring a women's home to be the only appropriate sphere of political influence; but the moment she takes him at his word, and endeavors to incline husband or brother to any political conduct, they turn with lordly authority upon her, saying, "My dear, your proper duties are in the nursery and kitchen. What do you understand of public affairs?"

Indeed, there is a large infusion of vulgar arrogance in even good men. They believe that woman was created solely or chiefly for the cradle, the bread-trough, and the needle. These complacent gentlemen suppose that God made man for thought, action, heroism, and woman as nurse, cook, and plaything.

A Public Benefaction.

How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in every family. The ELASTIC STARCH is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men have a practical knowledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the iron from sticking and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them clean twice as long. Beware of imitations. See that the name J. C. HUBINGER & BROS., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

The balloon to be constructed for the Paris exhibition of 1889 will carry up one hundred persons.

Brace Up.

Your are feeling depressed, your appetite is poor, you are bothered with Headache, you are fidgetty, nervous, and generally out of sorts, and want to brace up. Brace up, but not with stimulants, spring medicines, or bitters, which have for their basis very cheap, bad whisky, and which stimulate you for an hour, and then leave you in worse condition than before. What you want is an alterative that will purify your blood, start healthy action of Liver and Kidneys, restore your vitality, and give renewed health and strength. Such a medicine you will find in Electric Bitters, and only 50 cents a bottle at W. W. Hill's Drug Store.

Rev. Mr. Savage, in a sermon on Patience, urged upon his hearers to be patient with children, with servants, with stupid people, and added: "We must be patient even with the wicked. What does wickedness mean? No man or woman ever chose wickedness who could comprehend the beauty and sweetness and nobleness of the opposite. A wicked person calls for more pity than do the unfortunate good. Let us remember the wisdom as well as the sweetness of that oriental prayer, 'O God, bless the wicked; the good thou hast already blessed in making them good.'"

Caution.

We would caution the Public to beware of Dealers offering Kemp's Balsam at less than the regular Price, 50 cents and $1, as oftentimes imitations or inferior articles are sold as the genuine in order to enable them to sell cheaply. C. H. Buss, Druggist, is our agent for Woburn. Sample bottle given to you free.

The Coal Strike. Lawyer—"How much for carrying in that coal, Uncle 'Rastus?" Uncle Rastus—"One dollar, sah." Lawyer—"A dollar! That's too much." Uncle Rastus—"Yo' mus' b'ar in min', sah, dat it tuk years of ha'd experience befo' I was cognizant ter carry in coal. My poo' ole fadder an' mudder, sah, mus' a licked me a thousand times when dey wuz l'arnin' me ter carry coal. Hit's like de law business, boss, yuse got to cha'age fer educashun."

All medical authorities agree that catarrh is no more nor less than an inflammation of the lining membrane of the nasal air passages. Nasal catarrh and all catarrhal affections of the head are not diseases of the blood, and it is a serious mistake to treat them as such. No conscientious physician ever attempts to do so. It is held by eminent medical men that sooner or later a specific will be found for every disease from which humanity suffers. The facts justify us in assuming that for catarrh at least a positive cure already exists in Ely's Cream Balm.

Only three Indian scalps have been presented for the rewards offered in Arizona, and these were all in the hands of one man. When asked to make affidavit that they were the scalps of hostile Indians, he replied:

"Wall, two of 'em had sot a cabin afire and killed a settler, and the other wuz comin' for me with a knife, but I can't say they wuz hostile."

The reward was promptly handed over.

It takes a long time for some people to learn of things to their advantage, and they they have to be told again and again, till at last they see the point. If it were different one-half of the advertising of the present day would be discontinued. But B. A. Atkinson & Co. are bound to keep at it as long as needful. They know they are right, and they are bound to assert it. Learn something new by reading their advertisement.

There were 8000 policemen present at the recent great demonstration against the Coercion bill in Hyde Park, London. That was nearly three-quarters of the entire police force of the city. There was but little occasion for their services.

Ayer's Pills are the best cathartic for correcting irregularities of the stomach and bowels. Gentle, yet thorough in their action, they cure constipation, stimulate the appetite and digestive organs, and strengthen the system.

A wren has built her nest under the eaves of the express car on the Abbeville (S. C.) Branch Railroad. It is so substantially constructed that the jar of the car, which makes four trips a day, does not disturb it.

J. C. Davis' Old Soap is compounded from the best material.
It will not injure the finest laces.

Boston lower light was first lighted September 14, 1716, and the first keeper was John Hayes.

Germany has refused to participate either in the art or industrial sections of the Paris International Exhibition of 1889.

Seven ounces of citrate of silver will, it is said, turn enough sea water into drinking water to supply a man for a week.

The vast majority of Queen Victoria's subjects (139,000,000) are not Protestants or Roman Catholics, but Hindoos.

Photographs albums now have legs and a lock and key. Others have a box in the back for "our miscellaneous pictures."

The beggars of Rome, it is estimated, receive $2,000,000 a year, and 500 are said to be worth from $15,000 to $25,000 each.

In Nevada the Indians eat the flesh of rabbits they capture, make robes of the skins and receive a bounty on the scalps.

It is estimated that locomotive whistling costs the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, in loss of steam, $15,000 a year.

One hundred and eighty million dollars' worth of five-cent cigars were smoked in this country last year, principally by laboring men.

The public school popolation of the United States, according to the latest report of the Bureau of Education, is 16,794,402.

A Frenchman estimates that in a life of fifty years a man sleeps away 6,000 days, walks 800 days, and the rest of the time feeds and fusses.

Elijah Lane is the tallest man in the State of New Hampshire. He resides at Keene and is 6 feet 8 inches in height and weighs 210 pounds.

There are 18,000 operatives engaged in the shirt, collar and cuff trade in Troy, New York, and the amount of their wages for a year is nearly $7,000,000.

I KNOW NOT.

I know not when, on the heaven blue sea,
The boat of death shall be launched for me;
When the heart shall falter, the brain shall reel,
And the active fingers cease to feel;
But I know some time, on the other shore,
The bark shall be anchored for ever more.

I know not how the change shall be,
Through what black waves of misery,
What clouds shall gather, or storm waves beat,
Ere the outward voyage shall be complete;
But I know when the pain of the voyage is o'er,
I shall pass through tempest nevermore.

I know not why I am waiting here,
And what shall be "doth not yet appear,"
But, I know some time the Lord shall call—
Without whose notice no birdlings fall—
And in pain or pleasure, toil or rest,
I shall be as His wisdom seeth best.

—Laura Bell in Good Housekeeping.

OLD TIME SUGAR RAISING.

How it Was Conducted on the Bore Plantation Nearly Seventy Years Ago.

This plantation was sagaciously and tastefully laid out for beauty and productiveness. The gardens occupied a large area, and at once astonished the eye by the magnificence of their shady avenues of orange trees. Unbroken retreats of myrtle and laurel defied the rays of the sun. Flowers of every description perfumed the air. Extensive orchards produced every fruit of which the climate was susceptible. By judicious culture there had been obtained remarkable success in producing an abundance of juicy grapes, every bunch of which, however, when they began to ripen, was enveloped in a sack of wire to protect them against the depredations of birds. The fields were cultivated with such a careful observance of the variable exigencies of every successive season that there was no such thing known as a short or half crop, or no crop at all. This was reserved for much later days. But under the administration of Etienne de Bore, during a period of twenty-five years, from the first ebullition of a sugar kettle in 1795 to the time of his death in 1820, every crop was regularly the same within a few hogsheads. When, however, he ceased to exist this seat of order and prosperity became a chaos of disorder and ruin, and the estate finally passed away from the family into the hands of strangers.

It was a self-sufficient little domain, exporting a good deal, and importing but meagerly, so that the balance was very much in its favor. It was largely supplied with sheep and their wool, with geese, ducks, turkeys, guinea fowls and every variety of poultry without stint. Eggs were gathered by the bushel. Pigeons clouded the sun, and when the small black cherries (call merises in French) were ripe, those feathered epicures ate them voraciously, got royally drunk and falling from the trees strewed the ground beneath. A numerous herd of cattle, under the inspection of old Pompey, and a black youngster called Souris (in English mouse), on account of his diminutive figure, pastured luxuriously and grew fat. What a quantity of fresh butter, rich cheese, milk, cream and clabber! Vast barns gorged with corn, rice and hay; hives bursting with honey; vegetables without measure, and so luscious; a varied and liberal supply of carriages always ready for use, and horses for the saddle or for driving, all glossy and sleek; spirited mules, well fed and well curried—the pride of the field hands; shrimps and fish from the river; multitudes of crawfish from the deep ditches; raccoons and oppossums to gladden the heart of the most surly negro. Bore had made of his estate both a farm and a plantation. Every day before dawn cartloads departed for New Orleans with diversified produce, most of which was handed over when it reached its destination to two old women, Agathe and Marie, who were the occupants and guardians of the town house of Bore. They admirably understood the art of selling, and were well known to the whole population, whose confidence they possessed. Going to market with baskets full, they generally brought them back empty. Josephine, a handsome, strong limbed and light footed mulatto, with another female assistant of a darker color, sold the milk and butter with wonderful rapidity, and both were back at the plantation at 10:30 a. m., with the mail, the daily papers and whatever else they had to bring. It was clockwork in everything on that plantation of the old regime. Hence the farm produced at least $6,000 per annum, besides supplying all the wants of those who resided on it, black or white, and the product of the plantation was almost all profit.

The discipline established on it was a sort of military one. At dawn, when it was time to go to the field and to the other labors of the day, the big bell rang. The whole gang of negroes came to the house, in front of which they all kneeled, and a short prayer was said, always in the presence of a male member of the family, who stood up with head uncovered. The same ceremony was performed in the evening before they went to their supper and their rest for the night. I vividly remember how I felt when, being about 8 years old, I was for the first time called upon to preside over the prayers of the dark assemblage.—Charles Gayarre in Harper's Magazine.

Domestic Service in Mexico.

An interesting contribution, the discussion of the domestic service problem, is given by our correspondent from New Mexico. We think the working women of the east cannot know that in New Mexico domestic servants are paid $30 a month, with board and home in addition, and cannot be obtained even for these large wages. The native Mexicans supply about the only servants to be had there, and they are so unfamiliar with American methods of housekeeping and withal are so indolent and careless that their service is far from satisfactory. The pride which keeps the native American at "respectable" work in the east at $2 or $3 a week, it would seem, would disappear before the temptation of an opportunity to earn $350 a year, most of which could be saved, as the home is furnished in addition to the money wages.—Philadelphia Press.

Poison in the Ink.

A 14-year-old scholar in the district school near Vandalia, Ills., took a swallow from his ink bottle the other day to see how it would taste. The next morning he died. His physician said that the ink contained a deadly poison.—New York Sun.

The *Advertiser* is the oldest daily paper in Boston, Massachusetts. The first issue was dated March 3, 1813.

In the southern states (principally in North Carolina) there is a class of people who eat clay. In Japan the natives make clay into cakes, and fry it and eat it.

A remarkable bedstead, made to order by a Milwaukee furniture firm, is twenty-four feet wide and has nine compartments, each intended to hold one of the purchaser's children.

The first actual application of gas to lighting purposes took place in England in 1792, when William Murdoch constructed an apparatus for lighting his house and office at Redruth, Cornwall.

In Prussia more than one-half of the country is owned by people whose yearly income ranges from $225 to $412, and 85 per cent. of the property is owned by those who are comparatively poor.

A Wedding Under Difficulties.

The Franco-German war in 1870 brought about the reform in war correspondence. At the commencement of hostilities I was at Spicteren, a small town on the border of those two countries. The town was held by a small body of German soldiers, and on the neighboring heights was a large army of Frenchmen. In case they attacked the town we had determined to run. There is the comical as well as the tragic side always in war, and both these elements we experienced at Spicteren. A young German girl had come to say good by to her lover, a sergeant in the small detachment. Some of us conceived the idea that they should be married. Leave of absence was applied for for the soldier and granted on condition that at the first sound of the alarm he should be back at his post.

The ceremony commenced, and just as the clergyman came to the important part the bugle sounded the alarm. The French had commenced the attack. Hastily buckling on his belt the soldier ran to his post. Shot and shell burst over the town and one crashed into the kitchen stove and destroyed the wedding breakfast. We all hastily retired to another town a few miles off. That night was still again, and we determined not to be done out of our wedding, so we found the soldier and girl, and next day they were married. Next day the battle was renewed and the French were repulsed. Wandering over the field among the killed and trying to assist the wounded, I came across the bridegroom, stone dead. He was shot through the throat. In his hand he held a picture of his young bride, stained with his life's blood.—London Cor. New York Mail and Express.

A Curious Freak of Nature.

In the early history of southwestern Pennsylvania, in Somerset county, and not far from the Maryland line, an emigrant pitched his tent one night on the banks of the Turkeyfoot river, a tributary of the Youghiogheny, a beautiful mountain stream. The occurrence was early in the present century and was not an uncommon affair, but what followed in the long years that have since passed is the wonder and admiration of all who have beheld it.

The family in question was doubtless in search of a suitable site for a future home, and dreamed of no ill ere the time of that encampment. During their temporary halt one of their dear children was stricken down and buried in a lonely and uninhabited spot in the little valley. It is supposed they (the parents) planted six small yellow poplars—three on each side of the grave—to make the resting place of their darling child. Years passed and the poplars grew, and to-day they may be seen by the traveler as one undivided and solid trunk to the height of about seven feet, where they divide and are known for miles around as "The Six Poplars." These bodies are of nearly equal size, being each about two feet in diameter and about 100 feet to the lowest limbs, straight and clear of knots. In the vacuum at the place of separation there remains a rude stone, which marks the date of burial and the name of deceased. The land has been cleared of other timber, but that tree—or trees—stands alone some distance from any habitation.—Albert Cotton in Waterloo News.

The Unseen Forces of Nature.

Nature is ever undoing what she has already done, ever pulling her own work to pieces, as though dissatisfied with it, and wishing to build it up anew. She brings flowers, trees, men and women into existence, tends them with loving care, brings them to maturity, and consigns them to decay. The sun rises to the zenith, only to sink again beneath the horizon. Winter melts into spring, and spring into summer; but summer passes into autumn, and autumn into winter again. And so it is with greater things as well. The earth upon which we live had its beginning; can we doubt that it also must meet its end? Even as we pass our little day upon it we can see it change before our eyes, viewing, as it were, but one short scene in the mighty drama upon which the curtain must fall at last. Forces, animate and inanimate, are ever at work—above, below and around us. Islands are raised from the sea; mountains open and belch forth their fiery torrents upon the country for miles around; floods perform their work of destruction; glaciers move slowly onward, and sweep hamlets and villages away. And the unseen forces of nature are working as surely and as steadily as the seen. That "we die daily" is no mere figure of speech; at every breath we cast off part of our substance, effete matter from which the life has departed. And the earth dies daily, too.—Theodore Wood in Sunday Magazine.

A Stem Winder.

Stiggins was passing a watchmaker's establishment, and looking in at the window he noticed a very pretty girl at the counter.

"Ha!" he soliloquized, "I'll go in and take a look at her under some pretext or other."

He entered, and was waited on by the young lady's father.

"What can I do for you?"

"I want to get a key for my watch," he stammered, fastening his eyes on the young lady.

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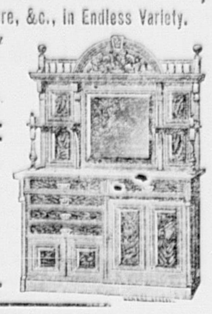
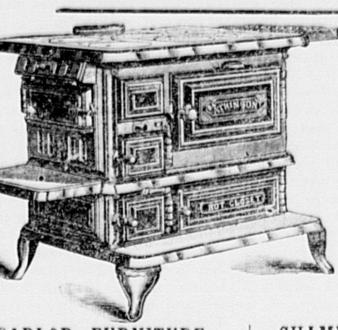
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WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to John H. Flynn of Boston, in the County of Suffolk:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of May next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

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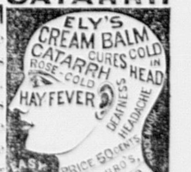
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FOR LAWRENCE at 8.22, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 1.34, 4.21, 5.10, 5.57, 6.41, 7.55, 11.33 P. M. **Sunday**, 9.28, A. M., 5.28, P. M. **RETURN**, 6.40, 7.45, 9.30, 11.00, A. M., 12.05, 1.30, 4.05, 6.03, 9.20, P. M. **Sundays**, 8.55 A. M., 4.25 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.26, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 2.25, 3.21, 5.10, 6.41, 9.25, 11.33 P. M. **Sunday**, 9.28 A. M., 5.28, P. M. **RETURN**, 6.35, 7.17, 7.35, 9.15, 11.00, A. M., 6.00, 6.30, P. M. **Sunday**, 9.00, A. M., 4.30 P. M.

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St. Charles C. T. A. Society. Lyceum Building, Main street.
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Woburn Fireman's Relief Association. Annual Meeting in May.
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FRIGHTENED AT LAST.

"So you think you had better go, Priscilla?" said Mrs. Aiden, looking anxiously out of the window. "The sun's getting low, and the butcher said to-day that a tramp had ben seen hanging about Triphammer."

"Tramp! I wonder what a tramp is like? I wouldn't a bit mind seeing one."

She had a piquant face, encircled by a tangle of golden-brown hair, over which she was carefully adjusting a Fanney Burney hat, peeping at herself meanwhile in the antique mirror which hung on the sitting-room wall. Her figure was slight, and there was a marked resemblance between mother and daughter, though the hazel eyes of the latter had a frank, dauntless look which those of the mother lacked.

"I wish you were not quite so fearless," returned Mrs. Alden. "I'm afraid it'll get you into trouble yet."

"It'll get me out of trouble, mother dear, as it did that day when the red bull chased me. Father said it was just my not being afraid that saved me."

"She's a chip off the old block," said her father, chuckling. "As like my great-grandmother as two peas and she was a daughter of Cap'en Church, and wa'n't any more afraid of an Injun than a black snake; just as lieves meet one as t'other."

"So would I, for that matter," said Mrs. Alden.

"So you would mother," answered her husband, indulgently. "Scared to death at either. Well, well, Prissy 'n' I have got courage enough for us all."

Priscilla had grown up to her fifteen years on Cross Farm, a great reach of arable land and wood lying along the river, the road from which one way led directly into a fine growth of tall woods, with a corresponding thickness of undergrowth. In this direction lay Triphammer, a little hamlet consisting of a few houses, a store and postoffice, and it was to Triphammer that Priscilla was going for a chat with her special crony, Janet Barlow. The chat lengthened out beyond all reasonable limits, as girls' chats will, and it was well into the evening when she started for home.

"You're sure you're not afraid?" said Janet, as she stood at the door holding aloft the kerosene lamp, and peering out into the darkness, which was intensified by its fervid glow.

"Afraid!" said Priscilla, with a laugh which had a touch of scorn in it. "I was never afraid in my life."

"But it's awfully dark. I do wish you'd stay all night. Your mother'd know you were here; she wouldn't mind."

"Mind! She wouldn't sleep a wink, and father'd have to come after me. Even if I were afraid, I'd go home for her sake. Say, Jetty, what is it like to be afraid?"

"Oh, if you don't know I can't tell you" laughed Janet. "You'll know soon enough, I wouldn't go by the old Morton house after dark, no, not even for a set of Dickens, and you know how much I want that."

Priscilla laughed and they said good-night, and then Janet shut the door. Priscilla walked away. She stumbled along at first with blinded eyes, tripping over wayside stones and getting entangled in wayside brambles, and at last collided violently with another wayfarer.

"Bless my soul, young woman!" said a gruff, but familiar voice. "Who are you and what are you driving at?"

"Oh, I beg pardon, Squire Barlow," said Priscilla, rallying from the shock. "But it is so dark, and Janet would bring the light to the door. Isn't it uncommonly dark?"

"Rather so," said the squire. "I didn't see your father at the store to-night. You ain't alone?" he added, with an inflection of surprise in his voice.

"Oh, yes, I am," said Priscilla.

"But ain't you afraid?" he asked.

"Not at all," she replied, with more than her usual decision, a little nettled that everybody should put the same silly question.

"For it is silly," she said to herself as she walked along. "I've never been afraid for the very good reason that I've never seen anything to be afraid of. Aunt Betsy says it's out o' nature not to be afraid of the dark, and Fanny Clapp thinks it's boid and unwomanly to be brave; she said so the other day, when I laughed to see her clinging to Ned's arm, just because a spider ran up her sleeve. It was too funny for anything."

Between Triphammer and Cross Farm lay three other farms, the buildings upon them at long intervals apart, and then came the old Morton house, which stood a short distance from the woods. Priscilla had already passed the farmhouses, where lights were burning, friendly beacons in the darkness, and was now approaching the Morton house.

This old house had been abandoned for many years. It stood a little back from the road, with gaunt old apple-trees and great clumps of lilacs about it. Some of the windows were boarded up, and in others a few panes of glass still clung to the shattered frames. It was built about 1720, and in the time of the Revolution was occupied as a tavern. The landlord was a Tory, and in the southwest chamber, which cornered on the road—all early New England country houses were built facing the south, without regard to the highway—a British deserter was shot and killed, after a struggle in which one of the captors was fatally stabbed with a bayonet. It was said that the ghosts of these two unfortunates often walked there at night, and fearful sounds had been heard of men's voices in angry contention, shrieks, shot, clashing of steel and glass, and groans.

"Heard 'em myself," said Jake Sampson, "comin' hum one night from Jason's. Yer see, I'd ben a-hayin' all day powerful hard, and Jason's wife she kind o' persuaded me t' stay an' take a little cider, some Jason had bottled up the latter part o' the winter, powerful frisky, but ez good cider ez ever I tasted. An' then Jason's wife she'd ben a-bakin' that arternoon, 'n' nuthin' would dew but I must taste o' her mince pies; 'n' then I hed another bottle o' cider, 'n' by that time 'twas late, 'n' dark ez pitch when I got t' the old house. Wal, I was jest goin' by that house keepin' one eye t' the wind-'ard, kind o' expectin' sumthin', yer know, when I heard the biggest kind o' yell, 'n' the fire blazed right out o' that 'ere sou'west chamber, 'n' sumthin' gin me a kind o' a whack, 'n' the next thing I knowed there I was on the ground, a-cumin' t' myself 'n' a-rubbin' o' my hed, which ached drefful, 'n' I jest got up 'n' legged it t' hum, 'n' I've never ben by that place after dark sence."

Jake told this story one night at Cross Farm, and after he had gone, Priscilla's father said most likely Jake had drank too much of Jason's cider, and had fallen down and fallen asleep simultaneously, and so had dreamed the whole thing. But other people, credible witnesses, had affirmed they had seen and heard the same things, and so the old Morton house had gained the reputation of being haunted, and others besides Jake shunned it after nightfall.

Priscilla listened to these tales with a pleased incredulity. But to-night, as she drew near the haunted house, a "creepy" sensation stole over her. It thrilled through every nerve. She found herself stopping now and then to listen, and glancing furtively over her shoulder, expecting to see she did not know what. She did not understand why this was, but she resolutely turned her thoughts from the tragedy connected with the old house to a charming story which had originated there also, a story she had often heard from her father's lips, concerning the great-great grandmother from whom she inherited both her intrepid spirit and her name. As Priscilla—our Priscilla, the great-great-granddaughter—was recalling this story for the hundredth time, perhaps, and in her enjoyment of it was quite forgetting the other and different one which lent such tragic interest to the old house, almost unawares she had reached its very gate. There she suddenly stopped, spell-bound, at the sight of a light in the haunted chamber. It streamed out through the cracks in the boarded windows in pallid gleams.

If she had ever doubted the truth of the stories of the haunting ghosts, she doubted no longer. She stood with bated breath and dilated eyes, and for the first time in her life terror took full possession of her. She would never have to ask again: "What is it like to be afraid?" Janet's reply to her question flashed upon her memory: "You'll know soon enough."

She did not stir—she waited. Soon she heard them—she supposed ghostly sounds about which she had so often speculated, and the cause of which, if she ever did hear them, she had fully meant to investigate. She heard the fierce struggle, the smothered threats that sounded like oaths, the shrieks, the clashing as of steel or glass, followed by darkness and silence; then a deep groan and footsteps running rapidly down the creaking stairway. Did she stop to investigate? No; she ran like the veriest coward—and who can blame her?—down the hill, over the little bridge, past the old barns—black skeletons of frames in the dim light—and then stopped just before entering the woods to take breath.

She took courage a little, too, and began to reason with herself. Rats, perhaps; but then rats do not meet by lamplight, neither do they groan. Perhaps it was an illusion after all. She had heard that people when terrified could imagine almost any thing. The light might have been simply an affection of the optic nerve—she believed it was the optic nerve. At any rate, she had heard Aunt Betsy say that when she had one of her nervous spells she saw flashing lights with her eyes shut. Had she not better go back, after all, and investigate?

At this thought she half-turned to go back when she saw something coming, a something that loomed through the fog like the Spectre of the Brocken, so tall was it, of such vast proportions; and its head—what a frightfully hideous head the creature had! Again panic seized her and she ran; but as she heard the heavy footsteps behind her, she again took counsel of common-sense.

"Ghosts do not run," she argued, "they glide, they are noiseless, this is no ghost. Can it be the tramp?"

At this point, having got well into the woods and being hidden by a curve of the road from her pursuer, she suddenly plunged into the bushes on one side and as suddenly stopped, caught in a net-work of trees so close as to forbid further progress. The creature came on; it passed by a little way and then paused. It had evidently become aware that she had not gone on. It came back and stopped exactly in front of her hiding-place. Priscilla felt an insane desire to giggle; then she put her hand over her mouth lest she should shriek aloud. It got down and grovelled on all fours on the ground. Was it trying by the dim light to make out her footsteps? It parted the branches and looked in. She could hear its heavy breathing, she almost felt its breath; by reaching out her hand she could have touched it. Then it ran backward and forward in the road many times. Would it never go away?

It seemed an eternity almost before it disappeared, at last, in the direction of Cross Farm. As its footsteps died in the distance, Priscilla proceeded to carry out the plan formed on the instant when she plunged into the woods. There was a river-path leading to Cross Farm, along the edge of the woods, with which she was so familiar she could easily find it in the night, and once having reached it, her way would lie straight and sure before her, through the orchard and garden to the back door.

In getting out from among the tangle of trees she knocked off her hat, an incident which in her extreme excitement she did not notice, and then rapidly making her way through the woods, regardless of bushes and briers, she burst in like a small tornado upon her astonished mother, who sat alternately knitting and nodding, and aroused her father from his nap over the Camptown *Herald*, one corner of which was in flames from the candle which he held in his hand.

"Land o' liberty!" he exclaimed, coming down upon the front legs of his chair with a crash, and crushing the burning paper under his foot. "What's the matter?"

The sound of the familiar voice, together with the serene and peaceful atmosphere of the room, restored Priscilla at once to her usual fearless frankness, and she said with a laugh which was slightly hysterical.

"I have been such a goose! frightened quite out of my wits, and"——

Here a vigorous knocking at the door broke in upon her speech and:

"There it is again!" she shrieked, fleeing into the adjoining bed-room followed by her mother, exclaiming:

"*It!* what is *it?*"

Mr. Alden was not a little bewildered by this inexplicable conduct of his wife and daughter; but true to his hospitable instincts, he went to the front door, still holding the scorched *Herald* in his hand, and after struggling with the latch, which would not lift, and then with the door, which stuck, ushered into the sitting-room Orin Waterhouse, a good-natured giant of a farmer nearly seven feet tall, who lived at Tarklin, four miles beyond. His round eyes blinked as he came into the lighted room, and he held in his hand the ring of a lantern from which hung a portion of the wire frame. As the night was damp and threatened rain, he wore a fireman's cap and cape.

"C'd yer go up t' the old Morton place 'n' help me 'ith a critter, squire?" he asked. "Them pesky boys!" and then he started his grievance.

It seemed that he pastured his sheep near the old house, and some mischief-loving boys had driven the leader of his flock, a belligerent old sheep, up the stairway into the chamber and shut him up there. A kind neighbor had sent word to Orin, and he had come down in the evening, thinking he should succeed better in getting the sheep down stairs than in the day-time. But the sheep, thus prematurely aroused from his first nap, and at the same time bewildered and enraged by the light, charged upon him, and after a sharp but brief conflict consisting of a series of butts and dodges, knocked him down and smashed his lantern, and there was nothing left for him but an ignominious retreat, considerably bruised, and a good deal out of temper. He had come to Mr. Alden's for assistance, that being the nearest house. After Mr. Alden and Orin had gone, Priscilla made a clean breast of her fright to her mother with all due humility.

"I'll never laugh at you again for being afraid of a turkey-gobbler," she said. "Think of being thrown into such a panic by Orin Waterhouse and his old sheep!"

The Fanny Burney hat was subsequently found by Cousin Ned, hanging on a twig in a very limp condition.—*Francis A. Humphrey, in Youth's Companion.*

To-night and To-morrow Night,

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Our Dumb Friends.

Cats are sometimes accused of being treacherous; this appearance is wholly owing to timidity. Whatever faults they may have, may be traced generally to the way they are treated. If a cat is kept hungry she will be a thief, and I do not blame her. If she is struck and kicked she will use her claws, and who can blame her. If she is left out in the cold shivering, she will visit and often take up her abode with another kind to her. It does not become man to accuse her of treachery, for man is the most treacherous of all animals. But whoever may neglect or ill-treat them, they have more friends than enemies.

They are companions of the sick and lonely, the pets of childhood and age, and the faithful servants of man. I have a friend who, when her Sambo is asleep in her arm chair, will take a less comfortable one for fear of disturbing him; like the caliph who cut off the corner of his costly robe to rise without awakening his favorite pet. I have another friend who all winter puts her cat James Garfield, to bed in his barrel with hot soapstone. Some may laugh at this, but is not extreme kindness far better than extreme cruelty. An artist friend has a cat called Diogenes, who has far better lodgings than a tub. Another cat rejoices in the name of Polonius Balfour. The Egyptian name for the cat was Chaou, or according to to some Egyptologists, Maou, the latter name being imitative of the animal's cry. The familiar name "Puss" apparently, has also come to us from the Egyptians. The origin of the word "Tabby" is perhaps not generally known. It is a corruption of the Turkish utabi (old French tabis, Spanish tabi), a particular kind of waved silk, imported from Bagdad, and so named after the locality where it was made. The Egyptians not only took great care of their cats when alive, but honored them when dead, going into mourning and shaving their eyebrows. It may be set down as a safe rule, that any person who is unkind or cruel to a dumb animal is not to be trusted. And as one has truly remarked, "Cruelty to a dumb animal is the crime of a coward!"

Looking out in the street, one day, we saw some cruel boys kicking a yellow kitten. We rescued it, and bringing it into the house it put its little paws around my neck and licked my face, thus showing its gratitude. Cats are said to be less sagacious than dogs. I remember one we had when children, who would follow us out into the street, walk behind us to the house where we spent the evening, sit on the door-step till we came out, and then follow us home. We have had several who could open different fastenings with ease. We had one who could fetch and carry, like a dog, run after a ball or green apple at any distance, bring it back in its mouth, and do this as often as required.

A plate of waste victuals and a dish of water were alwas kept in the back yard for stray cats. One old dilapitated tiger cat made daily visits to them; we called him Lazarus, because he fed on the crumbs.

A stray cat, dropped by some unfeeling person person, became the mother of four kittens, which she lodged in a neighbor's hen's nest; these were drowned. The cat found food in our yard. The next brood of kittens were brought by her and put into a box under a porch. The box, lined with carpeting, was put there for any stray cat and found it. The four kittens were large and handsome, with their eyes open, and were christened Marble, Malta, Dante, and Posy. Homes were found for the first two; Dante died; Posy and his mother, Dora Patterson, became sick with the mange. Of course, no one would take sick cats, and I must keep them. They were cured (and perhaps the remedy may not be known to all) by sulphur and lard mixed and rubbed in daily—no water being used and no combing. They recovered in a month, and are now handsome cats. They were at last received into the house with Buttercup, the family cat, who is white, with tortoise-shell spots on her back, forehead and tail. It was long, very long, before she could get reconciled to these intruders. Educating the three cats to live in harmony has been one of the fine arts, if I may so express it. Hissings and clawings, lying in ambush for each other, Dora P. chasing Buttercup, who is smaller, to seek safety up a tree.

Eduation does wonders, and after long training the three cats understood their rights, although it has been Posy's practice to eat his own share, and then surreptitiously to snatch Buttercup's food, and with head and tail erect to run off into the pantry with the booty. But he is always caught by his mistress and restitution made, and now, "Ay! ay!" uttered sharply, tells him something he understands.

The Only Safety.

A man named Stacy, the owner of a splendid drinking saloon in New York, signed the pledge lately and closed his house. Hearing that a party of lads had formed a temperance society, he gave them his experience as a rum-seller.

"I have sold liquor," said Mr. Stacy, "for eleven years—long enough for me to see the beginning and the end of its effects. I have seen a man take his first glass of liquor in my place, and afterwards fill the grave of a suicide.

I have seen man after man, wealthy and educated, come into my saloon, who can now not buy their dinner. I can recall twenty customers who were worth from $100,000 to $500,000 who are now without money, place or friends."

He warned boys against entering saloons on any pretext. He stated that he had seen many a young fellow, a member of some temperance society, come in with a friend and wait while he drank. "No, no," he would say, "I never touch it. Thanks all the same." Presently, rather than be churlish, he would take a glass of cider or harmless lemonade. "The lemonade was nothing," said the rumseller, "but I knew how it would end. The only safety, boys, for any man, no matter how strong his resolution, is outside the door of a saloon."—*Gospel Light.*

A Captain's Fortunate Discovery.

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An ex-Postmaster has eloped from New York State with a young lady, leaving a wife and two children at home. His kind friends urge in excuse and palliation of his rascality that he has been made insane by the excessive use of narcotics as a remedy for neuralgia. Neuralgic husbands will be closely watched hereafter.

A Great Battle

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The spring weather has its usual effects in encouraging people to go out of doors in enjoyment of the green grass in the parks and in taking part in out of door sports. The suburban cars are filled with the people who are seen in those trains only in summer time and, in the city, it is the fashion to make plans for summer.

There is a rumor that American girls are instituting a reaction against marrying titled foreigners. They have found out that an Italian Count does not make half such a good husband as a clear-headed, common-sense American, and that he has "a horrid way" of snubbing American relatives.

The past hunting season has been a failure in this country. Whether the farmers have been more energetic in interfering with runs, or whether north winds and snow storms have prevented sport, is not stated, but the anise-seed bag has not brought much enjoyment.

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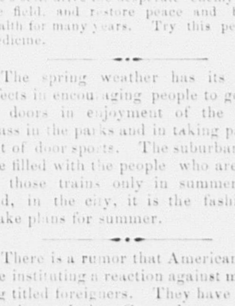

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ Boston never had a real, live Queen visit her before and she must therefore be excused for becoming somewhat excited over Kapiolani, Queen of the Pacific Islands, and party who have been the city's guests this week. This great female sovereign and companions have been almost surfeited with attentions from high officials and distinguished citizens of the Hub in the shape of breakfasts, receptions, theatres, music, etc., and altogether Boston turned Her Majesty's visit into quite a gala-day. Her Majesty labored under the disadvantage of not knowing anything about the United States language but that was among her strongest recommendations to homage from some of the literary clubs of the city and did not detract very much from the great pleasure which her presence among them afforded Boston people generally. The visit of the Queen will long be remembered and alluded to with pride by all good, loyal Bostonians.

☞ The report of the legislative committee appointed to investigate the charges of bribery and other corruption in the Beverly division case reported in substance that one side was as deep in the mud as the other was in the mire and that neither of them was very badly soiled. It turned out to be just about what the JOURNAL two weeks ago said it would, that is to say, another case of the devil shearing the hog—great cry and little wool. There was nothing in the charge of bribery worth investigating. It was a sort of put-up job by the old Beverly people on the divisionists for effect on the Legislature, but it was not a very cute one nor managed with much shrewdness, and therefore failed in its aim. The divisionists too played some games, and so the committee reported no cause of action accompanied with a mild reprimand.

☞ We learn from the perusal of a circular issued by its secretary, Mr. W. M. Davis, that the New England Meteorological Society proposes to embark in the business of investigating sea-breezes this summer and would like to engage the gratuitous services of a small army of people who live anywhere between Scituate and Portsmouth on the coast and forty miles back of it to help with the work. The Society has had great success in investigating thunder storms, to finish up which it will consider the qualifications of a few more hands, to whom instructions, blanks and printed envelopes will be sent on application. We would like, ourselves, to investigate a few sea-breezes in July and August, but as to thunder storms, if it would make no odds to the N. E. M. S. we ask to be excused.

☞ The Cambridge *Chronicle* celebrated its 43d birthday last week in good style. It is a capital journal and deserves the success it has won.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

J. G. Maguire—Citation.
Mrs. C. A. Pierce—To Let.
Prof. Rhuland—Horse-taming.
Mrs. B. A. Stearns—For Sale.
R. S. Spaulding—Spruce Trees.
Mrs. C. A. Pierce—Another Mark down.

— Mr. L. B. Russell will please accept our thanks for papers.

— Cherry trees were in bloom in this place more than a week ago. Not so very bad after all.

— Mr. R. S. Spaulding, the expressman, has a large lot of very fine spruce trees which he will sell cheap.

— The thermometers showed over 90 in the shade last Tuesday. People as a rule perspired very freely.

— Mr. John McLaughlin has taken the streets to keep wet this summer, and so far he has done very well indeed.

— The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet in the Methodist church parlor, on Monday, May 16, at 3 P. M.

— It has been just about nip and tuck between the watering cart and dust this week with dust just a little ahead most of the time.

— The Ladies' Charitable Society of the Unitarian church will hold their final meeting of the season on the last Thursday evening in this month.

— Mr. William Kimball, a former citizen of Woburn but now one of New Hampshire's honest sons of the soil, has been visiting here this week.

— The ladies of Trinity Church will hold a festival and sale at Grand Army Hall, Tuesday, May 17, afternoon and evening. All are cordially invited.

— Mr. Charles F. Hayes left here a few days ago for St. Louis where, it is reported, he is to engage in business with his brother-in-law, Mr. Pinkham.

— The new building of the American Express Co. looks enough like the B. & L. station to be a younger brother. It is a neat, substantial and ornamental one.

— Lieut. Horace N. Conn has passed examination for Captain of Co. G. 5th Regt., to fill vacancy; and William C. Parker has passed examination for 2d Lieut.

— Last Wednesday Andrew Peterson fell from the roof of Mr. John Murdock's tannery to the ground, four stories, and was pretty badly hurt, although not dangerously.

— Mrs. C. A. Pierce advertises another big mark-down in millinery goods this week. Also, a "to let" notice to which particular attention is called.

— It is expected that if nothing happens Woburn will come out with a baseball club pretty soon whose feats on the diamond will astonish the natives. Send along the scores, boys.

— A business neighbor and esteemed citizen has handed us some valuable notes on a public park for elaboration and publication to which we shall devote some time and attention very soon.

— The Woburns just more than went for and scalped the Bostons last Wednesday night for a purse of $100. When there is money in sight the Woburns always manage to get there somehow.

— Farmer Allen hung his scythe on the limb of an appletree last Monday, combed the hayseed out of his hair, donned a celluloid collar and went to Boston to see the Hawaiian Queen.

— Mrs. Stearns, as will be seen by her notice, offers her residence and store for sale. It is admirably located for business which will soon be working itself in that direction, and is valuable property.

— Col. A. L. Richardson has come back from Pawtucket to remain until fall. He and his brother Herbert—Richardson Brothers of the Woburn Steam Laundry—have taken Board at the Windsor.

— Lombard, the insane man who has made several unsuccessful attempts on his life in the last year or two, tried again yesterday to end his existence but failed as usual. The knife just grazed the windpipe.

— The barn in the rear of Capt. Merrill Strout's was discovered to be on fire about 8.30 last Sunday evening by a couple of young men who extinguished the increasing flames before much damage was done.

— The building committee of the new Savings Bank block expect to receive bids from their proposals by tomorrow or early next week. As soon as the bids are all in the contract will be awarded and work commence.

— Mr. J. M. Ellis, stonemason, builder, etc., has from 120 to 130 men employed on his different contracts and all the horses he can get. He has quite a number of large building jobs on hand and is rushed with business.

— It is not likely that anybody ever saw the foliage on the trees, the grass in the fields, the dandelion greens in the meadows and lanes, and other things of the vegetable kingdom, go ahead as they have this week. They have fairly jumped.

— The Boston Clothing Co's business has been firstrate so far this spring, so Manager Buck says, which declaration agrees with the observations of this reporter. The store keeps the best of goods, a plenty of them, and sells at fair prices.

— Many Woburn people have attended the revival meeting held at Winchester this week. They report that Rev. Mr. Mills, the Evangelist, is an eloquent preacher, zealous and untiring worker, and that he has done much good at Winchester.

— Mr. Frank H. Monks, 35 Congress street, Boston, Treasurer, wrote us last Tuesday thus: "By act of the Legislature the corporate name of the Stoneham Street Railroad Co., has been changed to The Eastern Middlesex Street Railway Co."

— Dr. Reynolds makes a slight change in his professional card this week, to which attention is called. The Doctor enjoys a large patronage from the best of our people who appreciate professional skill and success. He is a finished dentist.

— Major Macdonald has a very satisfactory demand for his leather machine from tanners. A great many of them are in use. We hear that the Major proposes to devote more of his time to the introduction and sale of these valuable and popular machines.

— In deference to the English sentiment and love of the "old country" which are quite ardent and strong among the English population of this town, namely, Mr. E. Cooper, there is considerable talk of celebrating the Queen's birthday on the 24th instant.

— It is said that Mr. William F. Davis has bought a site for a house on the Dow lot bordering on Canal street. It is the best part of the town for residence and "comes high." It is said that Mr. Davis will build a handsome cottage for his future home on the lot.

— It beats all what a demand for houses there is here in Woburn. A better class of them is called for than formerly. The population of this town never increased so rapidly as it is increasing now. We advise the building of more single and less double houses.

— We learn that a Tribe of the Improved Order of Red Men is about to be organized in this town. Mr. William N. Titus has been furnished with the application for a Charter by the Great Council and will be happy to give the necessary information to all persons desirous of joining.

— Mr. L. Houghton Allen, as one of the heirs and agent for the remainder of them, has sold the Luther A. Fowle farm on Lexington street to the Cummings Brothers of Cambridge street for $8,000. It was one of the best farms in this vicinity and Mr. Allen thinks he sold it very cheap.

— Last Monday evening Corps 83, G. A. R., gave an entertainment which was well attended, highly enjoyed and a great success. It was presented with a handsome sum of money with which to organize a relief Association which was done. Corps 83 has a good membership and is flourishing.

— The Scandinavian Temple Freja, No. 64, of the Order of Templars, held their installation last Thursday, week ago. The following were the officers installed by Temple Deputy, John Figved: O. T., John P. Miller; V. T., William Johnson; Sekr, Peter Figved; F. Sekr, L. Laurinsen; Kap., Annie Miller; Mars., Henry Miller; I. V., Anders Petersen; B. M., Mary Lauridsen; H. L., Eliza Figved; V. S., Annie Madsed; F. O. F., Peter Peterson.

— The real estate which Bryant and King recently plotted, staked off and put into the market is selling rapidly to a good class of people several of whom are now erecting dwelling houses on their lots. Mr. Titus, the agent, is meeting with gratifying success in disposing of this excellent residence property.

— Last week the Board of Selectmen, on the report of the Police Committee, raised the salary of Chief Nelson from $1,000 to $1,100, as a token of their appreciation of his merits as the head of the town's Police force. We have not heard that he declined the raise, but it would be just like him to do so.

— The Globe Clothing advertises a mark-down in light weight overcoats this week as will be seen by running the eye carefully over their card in this paper. As the eye leisurly advances down the column it will be observed that the Globe Co. say some other things worthy of the attention of the frugal reader.

— The Scandinavian Temple Freja, No 64, of the Order of Templars will hold an entertainment in Fraternity Hall, to-morrow evening, Saturday at 8 o'clock. The Temple would like to have a large number of American people attend their entertainments as it helps it to carry on its good work, and it needs it too.

— The Middlesex County Tennis League will hold its spring tournament on the grounds of the Wedgemere Tennis Club of Winchester, Saturday afternoon and Monday, May 28 and 30. All members of the Woburn Lawn Tennis Club desiring to enter for this tournament should notify the club Sec'y W. E. Blodgett, on or before the 25th inst.

— The St. Charles church choir, assisted by the very best of talent, will give a vocal and instrumental concert in Lyceum Hall on Monday evening, May 30, concerning which further remarks will be made in these columns next week. First class artists have been engaged for the occasion and it may be relied on that the concert will be a fine one.

— We acknowledge with much satisfaction the receipt of a large box of May-flowers, or trailing arbutus, from Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Greenleaf of No. Berwick, Maine. We had heard that these flowers were unusually beautiful and fragrant this May, and those received from our Down East friends fully verified the report. We return thanks for them.

— Between 6 and 7 o'clock tomorrow afternoon Prof. A. A. Rhuland will give a grand exhibition of his skill in driving horses that are frightened half to death at the locomotive, at the Pleasant street station with Mr. W. H. Curtis's spirited horse. He will drive the horse right up to the puffing, screaming engine without trouble, and perform other wonderful feats.

— An intelligent gentleman of No. Woburn stated yesterday that twenty good houses could be rented in that village within a week. The great need of this town at the present time is houses, the demand for which never was so great in Woburn before. There is a constant and urgent call for all sorts of tenements. Woburn is filling up with people very rapidly.

— Mr. C. F. Hovey has a remarkably large and fine showing of flowers and plants at his greenhouses and cordially invites the public to call and inspect them. He has never had so desirable a stock for bedding as this spring, and as it is about time to set out flowers an examination of Mr. Hovey's houses before doing so would pay. His pansies are simply superb.

— Messrs. Joseph Breed and Sons, builders and lumber dealers at Lynn, are putting up the Stoneham Street Railroad Co's stables, car-houses, etc., on Salem street, this town. Mr. J. B. McDonald, who is one of the largest coal and lumber merchants in Middlesex county, is furnishing all the lumber for these buildings. The contractors want to hire a gang of carpenters to whom good wages will be paid.

— The first Woburn C. L. S. C. were again favored this week with a very instructive and interesting address by Rev. Mr. Wright, the subject being the Pine tree of the South. A short residence, some years ago, among the pine woods of North Carolina gave him an opportunity to acquire much information concerning the various products of the pine, and the industries connected therewith.

— A meeting of the Directors of Mount Pleasant Lawn Tennis Association was held last Monday evening at which Warren N. Blake was unanimously elected President; Henry P. Davis, Treasurer; and E. H. Lounsbery, Secretary. The Association are making preparations for a working campaign. The members should read an item in these columns from Secretary Blodgett of the Wedgemere Club.

— Chief Engineer Littlefield says the statement that the Board of Engineers opposed an increase in the salary of Mr. Charles Buckley was erroneous; on the other hand, they recommended an advance in pay to him and supposed the Board of Selectmen understood the matter and how much the increase was to be. It was evidently a misapprehension of facts by Buckley, whose services the Board of Engineers thought should be paid a good price for.

— Last Wednesday forenoon an alarm from box 69 summoned the firemen to the rescue of the dwelling, No. 55 Pleasant street owned by William H. Winn of Burlington and occupied by Mr. John Duncan, which they found getting a pretty good start. The loss was not so great on either owner or occupant as it might have been—about $400. Soon after, the firemen were rung up in box 46 for Montvale, but there was no blaze there to speak of.

— In the list of books recently issued by the Presbyterian Board of Publication is "The First Khedive" by Rev. Daniel March, D. D., pastor of the First Congregational church of this place. As would naturally be expected there is large a demand for the book from the people of Woburn to meet which, up to the present time, no adequate provision has been made. His friends and neighbors would like to read the latest production of the Doctor's pen. We will notice the volume more particularly next week.

— Mishawum Lodge, No. 61, A. O. U. W., gave a grand banquet at G. A. R. Hall last Wednesday evening in honor of the anniversary of their birthday, and had a splendid time of it. Mr. Fred C. Ingalls, Grand Master Workman and Hugh Doherty, Grand Recorder, both of Boston, Clarence E. Embree from Salem and 22 members of the Waltham Lodge, making full 75 people in all, were present and enjoyed the good things of the occasion. It was one of the pleasantest affairs that ever took place in Woburn.

— Prof. Rhuland, the celebrated horse-tamer, will give a grand exhibition of his skill in subjecting the fiery, wild and vicious steed to perfect docility at Carter's Skating Academy this and tomorrow evenings, for further particulars of which his card in this paper is referred to. There is no doubt but that the exhibition will be well worth seeing for the papers everywhere speak in the highest terms of Prof. Rhuland's power over horseflesh and the ease and speed with which he subdues them to gentleness and safety.

— Mr. Chase Cole, who resides at 27 Pleasant street and is a Boston Truant Officer, while trying to get at some boys in the city yesterday forenoon slipped and fell on a sidewalk and had his left leg fractured below the knee. He soon after came out home when Dr. Seth Kelley was summoned and set the bones and put the injured member into a condition that will insure its early restoration to soundness and health. It was unfortunate for Officer Cole and a painful hurt, but he will soon get over it and be out again.

— Boston's suburbs are now arrayed in their best bib and tucker. The meadows and the lawns have donned their spring suits of fresh and living green, and the apple blossoms are just peeping out to lend a matchless charm to the picturesque scenery that surrounds us. The exhibition is open to everybody who will hie himself thither. Go forth and revel in the invigorating atmosphere and see the gorgeous panorama that Nature has provided!—*Boston Herald.* Very pretty indeed and quite true. Now come on as quick as you please; we are all ready and waiting for you.

— Last Saturday evening the Mishawum Club, the oldest in town and composed of foremost citizens, held their annual election with the following result: President, Edward B. Blanchard; Vice-president, Dr. George P. Bartlett; Secretary, W. F. Bosworth; Treasurer, Frank F. Dodge; Curator, Marcellus Littlefield; Directors, the officers, Charles N. Arnold and Warren N. Blake. The annual banquet of the Club took place on Tuesday evening at Young's Hotel, Boston, and was generally attended by the members. The programme for the evening was a pleasant and interesting one.

— Down East brook anglers have broke loose again and commenced to flood the country with their wonderful fishing yarns. A correspondent of ours at Lewiston, who will be recognized by the initials, W. G. M., says he and three companions went out a few hours last Monday and caught 93 "speckled beauties," while it was only the week before that he informed us that ice on the Androscoggin was nearly half a foot thick. W. G. M. is a good young man, but like everybody else he is liable to fall from grace when narrating the results of a trouting trip up the alder-skirted and mosqueto-haunted brooks of Maine.

— George E. Fowle has built and set up in the rotunda, or octagon, of the Public Library cases for the reception of the large and very valuable collection of specimens from the realms or fields of natural history which Hon. John Cummings has been for some years collecting with much care and good judgment. Each case fills a straight space in the octagon, is made solid to compare with the heavy, elegant furniture of the handsome room, and is just as neat and tidy as can be. It is said that Mr. Cummings will remove the great collection from his residence to its new and appropriate quarters in the Library very soon. This will be a very valuable gift to the town for which the generous donor deserves thanks.

— There was a special meeting of the Board of Selectmen week Thursday evening at which a contract for lighting the streets with electric lights by Mr. N. J. Simonds was made with him for a term of two years. By condition of the contract Mr. Simonds, for the sum of $3,150 per annum, obligates himself to furnish 40 1200-candle-power arc lights, to run until 12 o'clock on a dark nights, and 6 of them to run all night, and additional lights at $75 per annum for midnight ones, and $100 for all-night ones, those contracted for to be distributed within three-fourths of a mile of the Common.——Voted to make the salary of Chief of Police for current year $1100.——Mr. Cottle was appointed to buy another horse for the Highway Department.

— Messrs. James Skinner, F. B. Dodge and F. H. Lewis, a special committee of the Board of Trade appointed for the purpose, went to Haverhill last Friday to make an investigation of the proposed Haverhill-Lawrence Railroad scheme in which Woburn is deeply interested. The clerk of the corporation was seen and interviewed from whom considerable important information was gathered, some of which the committee were requested not to publish. A favorable condition of things was found to exist and the prospect for building the line is fair. When the negotiations between the Boston and Lowell and Boston and Maine RR. Companies are consummated and the question of entering Lawrence by the Haverhill-Lawrence road is settled, both of which will be out of the way in the near future, then there can hardly be a doubt but that the new scheme will be pushed and Woburn secure a competing line of railroad to Boston.

— Mr. Waterman Brown, the accomplished gateman at the Church Avenue crossing, and, as a certain New Hampshire newspaper recently put it, "the champion story-teller of New England," which may mean one thing or another to suit the taste of the reader, informs us, and his statement is fully corroborated by his lawyer, Counsellor Hobbs of Boston, in a note which we received from him last Tuesday noon, that the proper government department at Washington had issued to said Brown a certificate granting him a pension of $8 per month from January 29th last past and that the papers necessary for drawing the money had been duly forwarded. The pension was granted for services rendered in the Mexican War, and Counsellor Hobbs writes that Waterman's was the first certificate issued under the act granting such pensions. Of this latter fact the said Brown will probably make a note in large letters and indellible ink. We congratulate our estemed and worthy friend Brown on his good fortune.

— Chief Nelson has been quite a surprise party to many people during the last few days. They were so sure he had sold out to the saloonists, was cheek-by-jowl and dare not meddle with them, and numerous other things, that when he and officers Magee and McIntosh set out on the war-path last Saturday and continued the raid for several days thereafter and captured scalps at every jump a good many pair of eyes stuck out in amazement. The good work was pushed and the following are some of the results: Saturday; raid on John Cassidy; found one barrel of ale and one jug of "hard" liquors: on Terrance McGrath at No. Woburn; rum. Sunday; on John McGovern; whiskey, gin and cider: on Feeney; 15 quart bottles of liquors. On Monday, Ann Connolly; 1 barrel ale; 1-2 barrel liquor, 2 jugs liquor. On Tuesday morning the four first named were arraigned in Court, when John Cassidy pleaded guilty, paid costs and obligated himself to quit the business. McGrath stood trial, was found guilty, and had his case disposed of substantially as Cassidy's. The others were put over to to-morrow morning. Mrs. Connolly was sick abed and could not appear in Court.

Woburn Fireman's Relief Association.

At the Annual Meeting held at the Hook & Ladder house on Montvale Avenue, Wednesday evening, May 11, 1887, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

President—Clarence Littlefield.
Vice President—F. H. Leathe.
Secretary—E. F. Tebbetts.
Treasurer—Charles B. Green.
Auditing Committee—F. E. Tracy, Richard Garrity, G. H. Newcomb.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Engineers—Richard Garrity, C. W. Ames.
Hose 2—C. E. Eaton, C. E. Nichols.
Hose 3—P. Lafferty, F. M. Doherty.
Hose 4—H. W. Hooper, J. Cogan.
Hose 5—R. W. King, J. H. Bates.
Hose 6—G. A. Boutwell, C. J. Dean.
H. & L.—G. W. Nichols, G. W. Fish.

RELIEF COMMITTEE.

Engineers—J. Breslin.
Hose 2—A. T. Green.
Hose 3—P. H. Doherty.
Hose 4—H. W. Hooper.
Hose 5—C. B. Fetridge.
Hose 6—W. R. Newcomb.
H. & L.—William R. Greenleaf.

Not Any, Thank You.

The Woburn JOURNAL indignantly exclaims: "It is doubtful if a more inefficient body of law-makers than the present has occupied a seat under the gilded dome at Boston in modern times. Massachusetts has had some pretty poor Legislatures in her day, but good judges of the article pronounce the one now in session the cap sheaf." It is proper to add, perhaps, that there is no Woburn man in the Legislature this year. Don't be sour, brother.—*Wakefield Citizen and Banner.*

There is no such word in the JOURNAL'S vocabulary as sour. It expresses a condition of feeling to which it is a total stranger. The JOURNAL is noted all over the land for its sweet temper, amiable disposition, and its perfectly lovely nature. And then, in the case put by the *Citizen* it couldn't, if it wanted to, get out of humor, for Mr. Wadlin is just as good a Representative in the Legislature as Woburn asks for and there is nothing to get sour over.

Memorial Day.

The arrangements for a proper observance of Memorial Day by the G. A. R. Posts in this town on May 30th are about completed and Headquarters orders including programme will soon be issued. The committee to whom they were entrusted by the town and in whose hands were placed the public funds with which to defray the expenses of the occasion, are J. F. Leslie, John Maloney B. F. Story, of Post 161; and W. C. C. Colegate, O. M. Wade, W. T. Kendall of Post 33, which committee has been at work perfecting a plan that will render the day and its exercises more of an occasion than it generally heretofore has been.

In the forenoon, under the escort of No. 161, the Posts will visit and decorate the graves of soldiers in the various cemeteries in town and then return to Lyceum Hall, when an intermission will be taken. At 2 o'clock P. M., the veterans will re-assemble at Lyceum Hall where the literary exercises will be held. The National Band has been engaged to furnish music for the marching and at other times during the day. There will be an address at the Hall and an original poem by Mr. Charles W. Stevens of Boston who was formerly a resident of Woburn and is remembered by many of our people. Besides these, the usual services are to be held, at the close of which the companies will be dismissed. Post 33 will return to their headquarters under escort of Post 161, and the latter then repair to their rooms.

Each Post will have a banquet at headquarters in the afternoon and evening with other appropriate exercises, consisting of speeches, toasts, songs, army yarns, pipe-smoking, etc., and it is expected that the ceremonies of the celebration will be of more than ordinary interest to all who participate in or witness them.

A Circuit Railroad.

Alluding to a suburban circuit railroad route which the Boston and Maine Company propose to inaugurate if it absorbs the Boston and Lowell, concerning which we had something to say in the last issue of the JOURNAL, the Wakefield *Citizen and Banner*, quoting and approving our remarks, continues:

"There seems to be some possibility that the Boston & Maine, after perfecting its lease of the Boston & Lowell, will construct a circuit road running as far out as Reading on the Maine and swing around so as to take in Wilmington on the Lowell, on which trains will be run during the day at 15-minutes intervals. * * * *

Such a step on the part of the Boston & Maine would result to its own advantage as well as to the great advantage of suburban towns and cities along its line. The increase in building in the suburbs thus reached would be doubtless as marvellous as that which has followed the circuit system which the Albany road introduced a few years since. Wakefield hails the new idea with delight."

The cost of the municipal police of Paris, exclusive of the commissaires and the sedentary service, is over $1,500,000 a year, the material expenses figuring up for about $2,500,000 and salaries $2,128,000. The chief inspectors are paid $1,200 a year, the captains about $700, the brigadiers $360 a year and the 6,800 ordinary policemen receive an average of $262, or 1,310 francs a year.

The best characters of English fiction, voted by competitors to the *Pall Mall Gazette* prize, are Colonel Newcome, Count Fasco, Becky Sharp, the Vicar of Wakefield, Inspector Buckett and Sam Weller. Under the head of "best women" Dinah Morris is given precedence.

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FOR SALE—House, two tenements, 5 rooms each, 2½ acres of land, near Centre. $2000.
FOR SALE—House, 7 rooms, 5000 feet of land, in Centre. $1000.
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New Styles in Seersucker Ginghams.
New Styles in Sateens.
Ladies's Gauze Undervests, all prices.
One special item. Extra good Vests for 25 cents.
Men's Undervests. One special item. A Vest for 25 cents.
Hosiery in great variety.
Special attention given to full lines of Black Hose.
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CALL AT ONCE AT
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Did you say it was a warm day?

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This warm weather reminds us that we want many things.

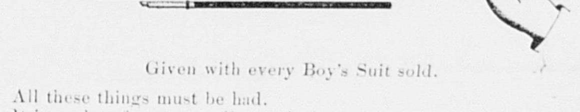
A STRAW HAT,
A THIN COAT AND VEST (Seersucker),
LIGHT UNDERWEAR,
A NEW SUIT,

And you want a light weight Overcoat for evening or riding. By the way, we had a mark-down the other day and knocked the prices on Spring Overcoats silly.

Again—you should have a

HAMMOCK.

And the boy wants a new Suit and a Ruler



Given with every Boy's Suit sold.

All these things must be had.
It is useless for me to tell you the best place to get all these things.
Everybody in Woburn knows that it is at the

GLOBE CLOTHING CO.,
Cor. Main and Union Streets, WOBURN.

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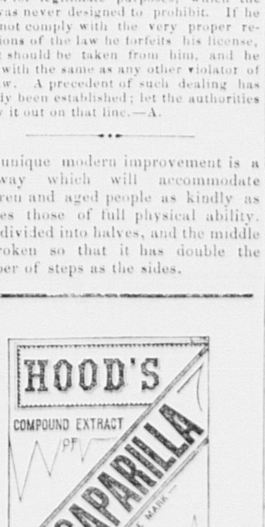
Licenses.

For the first time for several years the town fathers, with a wisdom becoming their high calling, have consented to grant the license to druggists for which the law provides however the towns vote on the license question. It foreshadows a wise and just policy on their part, a proper enforcement of the no-license vote without any attempt to make it obnoxious as has heretofore been done.

This is as it should be. Who is more properly the custodian of alcoholic liquors than the educated and practical pharmacist, who is accustomed to the handling and sale of poisons, which alcoholic liquors are, as the word "intoxicating," always used to describe their effects plainly indicates? The law surrounds him with restrictions which if properly observed will be an effectual safeguard against any abuse of its privileges and an improper use of the article, while it gives opportunity to obtain all that is required for legitimate purposes, which the law was never designed to prohibit. If he does not comply with the very proper restrictions of the law he forfeits his license, and it should be taken from him, and he dealt with the same as any other violator of the law. A precedent of such dealing has already been established; let the authorities follow it out on that line.—A.

A unique modern improvement is a stairway which will accommodate children and aged people as kindly as it does those of full physical ability. It is divided into halves, and the middle is broken so that it has double the number of steps as the sides.



The importance of purifying the blood cannot be overestimated, for without pure blood you cannot enjoy good health.

At this season nearly every one needs a good medicine to purify, vitalize, and enrich the blood, and we ask you to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. **Peculiar** It strengthens and builds up the system, creates an appetite, and tones the digestion, while it eradicates disease. The peculiar combination, proportion, and preparation of the vegetable remedies used give to Hood's Sarsaparilla peculiar curative powers. No **To Itself** other medicine has such a record of wonderful cures. If you have made up your mind to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to take any other instead. It is a Peculiar Medicine, and is worthy your confidence.

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Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. W. Hill.

A new and splendid variety of asparagus has been discovered by the Russians on the steppes of Akal-Tekiz. It grows wild to the hight of five or six feet, and the stalks are nearly as thick as a man's arm. One of them is said to be large enough to supply ten Russian soldiers with a sufficient meal, while the flavor is equal to that of the European kinds.

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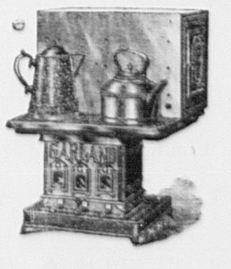
INSURANCE
AND REAL ESTATE AGENCY,
161 Main St., Woburn, Mass.

Some desirable House Lots for sale on reasonable terms.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, May 11, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Camp, 3 days.
In Burlington, Mass., May 9, Lenora S. Rice, 55 years, 8 months.
In Benicia, Cal., May 1, Ignatius, son of Petey and Annie Sexton, formerly of Woburn, 6 years, 9 months and 5 days.



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Also, a large variety of Children's Shirt Waists, at the

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148 MAIN STREET, WOBURN, MASS.

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OF GOODS SHOULD BE CONSIDERED IN PURCHASING,

But unfortunately low prices without any regard to durability appear to catch the public. A long experience in business proves to us that first-class goods pay both the dealer and purchasers.

OUR SPRING STOCK

Is now complete and we are offering

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Of the leading manufacturers at prices lower than ever before.

A choice stock of Parlor, Library, Chamber and Dining-room Furniture in Mahogany, Antique Oak, Cherry and Black Walnut.

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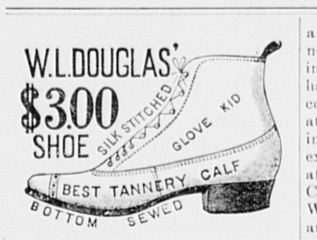

Greastest Variety of $3.00 Shoes in Woburn: **DOUGLAS, JOHNSON, WHITMAN, KEYSTONE, FRANKLIN, WALKENPHAST,** in 4 widths—3, 4, 5, 6 wide.

Best $2.50 MEN'S CALF shoes in the market, 4, 5, 6, 7 wide—Button, Congress and Lace.

Same in Boys sizes at $2 00.

Splendid Variety of Men's fine VEAL CALF shoes. 4, 5, 6 wide: Button, Congress and Lace, Box-toes and plain, warranted in every particular, $2.00

Smith's French Kid Button Boots, $3.00 and $3.50, S, M, F, FF, W wide. Smith's American Kid, $2.50. Phelan's Kid and Goat boots, C, D, E, $2.00.

All kinds of REPAIRS done at Moderate prices: front and back stays stitched on Ladies fine Kid Boots: also New gorings put into all kinds of shoes.

AT LEATHE'S buy your shoes for all kinds of weather;
He has them all made from good solid leather;
Please remember 201 Main is the street;
Buy your shoes there and you'll never get beat.

WINCHESTER.

Some changes and alterations are going on in the Congregational Church, or were a few days ago, to accommodate the choir.

Street Superintendent Richardson is doing good to the public thoroughfares in this town. He is a good road-maker and everything has to be exactly right to pass muster under his eye.

I notice that a "Taxpayer" bears down quite heavy on the Principal of the High School. He seems to think the teacher needs investigating. If it weren't for the carpers, the falt-finders, the discontented, the pessimists, and *sich*, this life would be rather a monotonous affair.

Our distinguished and highly esteemed fellow citizen, Hon. A. B. Coffin, has recently been appointed by Gov. Ames a member of the State Board of Gas Commissioners, an honorable and lucrative office, for the proper discharge of the duties of which he is entirely competent and well fitted.

Mr. J. B. McDonald, the well known and extensive coal and lumber dealer at Woburn, has the contract for furnishing all the lumber for the Winchester new Town-House, the carpenter work of which is to be done by Mr. J. F. Tarbox. Mr. McDonald does a large business in this and adjacent towns. He is a wideawake man and a worker.

At the regluar monthly meeting of the Standing Committee of the Winchester Unitarian Society the resignation of Mr. J. D. Sharon as sexton of the Church was received, and the following resolutions were voted by the Committee:

WHEREAS, In the resignation of Mr. J. D. Sharon as sexton, terminating thereby a period of twenty years of continuous and unbroken service, we recognize an important event in the Society's history, it is therefore

VOTED, That we hereby express our recognition and appreciation of the genial, courteous, generous and efficient manner in which he has so faithfully discharged the duties of office, thereby contributing largely to the success of the Society and meriting the gratitude which it is the pleasure of the Committee to offer in its behalf.

There is considerable feeling here over the delay of the No. Woburn Street Railroad Co., in continuing their track to Symmes's Corner, for which they have received permit from the town. I am myself afraid, and so are a good many others, that the line will not be built this summer notwithstanding the strong desire of everybody to have it go. I have heard that the company were considerably disgusted at the success of the Middlesex Co. in gaining the authority of Medford to extend their tracks to West Medford after they found that the No. Woburn Co. proposed to strike that village from Winchester and so over to Old Medford, and that they propose to wait awhile and see what can be done with the Consolidated before going any farther south. This is only a rumor, but I shouldn't wonder if there will be no running down to Symmes's Corner this season, as much as we all would like to have it do so.

There is considerable feeling over the procrastination of the authorities in appointing Mr. Hemmingway to the position of special prosecutor of violations of the liquor law. An appropriation was made at the Town Meeting for use in stopping the sale of rum in Winchester and it was expected by the temperance people that Mr. Hemmingway would be appointed right away, especially as he was so active, efficient and did so much good in suppressing the traffic last year, but at this time nothing has been done that I know of. Considerable many people are not feeling very pleasant at what they call the neglect of the Selectmen. But as I understand it, they are a little off in their complaints and calculations. I believe it was settled to put the appropriation into the hands of the regular police force and let them use it instead of having a special prosecutor and thus save the extra expense for such an officer. Mr. Hemmingway managed liquor matters splendidly last year and kept the sale of rum down to a "minimum," and he would do the same this year, I make no doubt.

BURLINGTON.

Mr. A. E. Brown of Bedford gave an interesting lecture on "Snares," at the church Sunday evening. A large audience attended.

At the annual election of the Sunday school Sunday morning T. I. Reed was chosen superintendent; Frank C. Marion, assistant superintendent; Mrs. M. E. S. Curtis, secretary and treasurer; Walter W. Skelton, librarian.

On Tuesday afternoon there was a severe fire in the woods near Mr. S. W. Rodman's residence. It was caused by the burning of brush. The ice house on the place was burnt and a grove of pines considerably scorched. Further mischief was prevented by a large company of men, women, and teams, who formed an impromptu fire company and worked bravely to keep the fire from spreading more widely.

Last Monday afternoon Mrs. L. S. Rice, wife of Capt. J. F. Rice, died very suddenly at her residence in Burlington. Mrs. Rice was a lady of fine mental qualities. In years past she accompanied her husband on his voyages, thus visiting many strange and foreign countries and adding a knowledge of the world to her natural gifts. Being an interesting conversationalist, often entertained her friends with descriptions of scenes she had witnessed during her travels. Mrs. Rice was esteemed by her neighbors for her many acts of benevolence and Christian charity. When prostrated with the attack of paralysis, which caused her death she was busy with a work of kindness, carrying an invalid to a ride. Thus a noble Christian woman has entered into rest.

James Pyle's Pearline has indeed become an article of established value in domestic economy, and now is the time for every family to test it, for house-cleaning as well as for laundry purposes. A more useful article for housekeepers is not to be found, and thew who neglect a trial of it deprive themselves of a great convenience. Sold by grocers generally, but see that counterfeits are not urged upon you.

It is said that a woman living near Jasper, Fla., is the mother of 26 children, of whom 24 have grown to manhood and womanhood.

DRY GOODS HOUSE OF A. CUMMINGS,

150 & 151 MAIN STREET.

Elegant Parasols in great variety.

Corsets, a new line at 71 cents. SPECIAL.

Handkerchiefs for Gent's, beautiful borders, 5 for 25 cents, worth 15 cents each.

Ribbon Remnants, very low.

Lace Edging, Linen, 2, 3 and 4 cents, a good SPECIAL.

Hamburgs, a new lot.

The Dow Block.

A large number of men and several teams are engaged in excavating for the cellars of the handsome new Dow business block which is to be erected by A. A. and E. A. Dow, proprietors of one of the largest leather manufacturing establishments in Woburn, this season on the corner of Main street and Church Avenue, and it will probably take three or four weeks to finish it and lay the foundation for the building. Mr. Jacob M. Ellis has the contract for the excavations, building the cellars and laying the underpinning, and is pushing the work just as rapidly as possible. It is a large, heavy job and considerable time will be required to complete it.

The location for the block is excellent for business purposes and also one of the most sightly and pleasant in town. It commands a fine view up and down Main street and from the great elm on Market Square the building will be one of the most conspicuous within the eye's range and from almost all points in the Centre will attract attention.

The block is to be 98 feet on Main street and 64 on Church Avenue, four stories high above the basements or cellars, built of brick and stone and furnished with all modern improvements including heating by steam. Messrs. Andrews & Jakes of Boston, who were with the famous Richardson, architect of the Woburn Public Library, Trinity Church, Boston, and many of the most beautiful and costly public and private buildings in this country, are the architects of the Dow block, which is a sufficient guarantee that its style and utility will be of the best. The contracts for building it are not all closed yet and therefore its exact cost cannot be stated, but it will amount to a very pretty sum of money.

The first story of the Main street front will be divided into five stores, which will have plate glass fronts and made as light, convenient and pleasant as possible. It is said that Mr. J. B. McDonald will occupy the corner room on Main street and Church Avenue for an office and that it is to be finished and fitted up in elegant shape. On the third story there will be a public hall 50x60 feet which will comfortably seat 350 people. It will be furnished with modern conveniences, stage, etc., and make a very nice hall for concerts, balls, etc. This will be a good thing. The roof of the hall will extend up and occupy the fourth story, giving two stories height. The Mishawum Club have engaged the remainder of the third story, the Odd Fellows will occupy the upper story, and the second will be cut up into spacious, fine offices.

The block will be completed towards the end of summer and when it is ready to be occupied it will be an ornament to the business centre of the town and a credit to the enterprise of the Messrs. Dow.

The Woburn Gaslight Company.

Immediately after the town voted to instruct the Selectmen to contract with Mr. N. J. Simonds for lighting our streets with the arc electric lamp Dr. J. M. Harlow, for some cause or other, offered his stock in the Woburn Gaslight Co., of which he was and had been for many years the President and principal owner, for sale and found a ready purchaser at a good round price in Mr. Monks and his associates in Boston, and Mr. Benjamin Hinckley of this town. The sale of Dr. Harlow's stock was forthwith followed by that of Judge P. L. Converse and Mrs. Susan K. Ellis of Bennett street to the same Boston and Woburn parties. Precisely what price they paid for the stock we do not know, but it is worth now about $125 per share, with an upward tendency.

With the sale of his stock Dr. Harlow resigned as Director and President of the Co., which necessitated the calling of a special meeting to fill the vacancy. Judge Converse also resigned from the Board of Directors and his place too must be filled. The special meeting was held on last Tuesday afternoon when Mr. Benjamin Hinckley was elected to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Dr. Harlow, and Mr. J. R. Monks was chosen Director to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Judge Converse. Subsequently the Board of Directors elected Mr. Hinckley President of the Company, which position he accepted.

The suspicion exists that this Woburn gas plant is to be converted into one for the manufacture and sale of water gas by the new company. Mr. Monks has been at work on this water gas question for several years and is one of the most earnest and intelligent advocates it has in this country. He is a gentleman of wealth and leisure both of which he has liberally devoted to investigation of the question of artificial lights in general, and to water gas in particular, and these are the facts on which the suspicion above alluded to is founded. At anyrate that the new company will make money on their investment is morally certain.

Every one is aware that when a person with a cold retires for the night he experiences a tickling in the throat, and a difficulty in breathing. One or two doses of *Dr. Seth Arnold's Cough Killer* will remove troubles of this nature, and give the sufferer a good night's rest. Give it a trial and so be convinced. For sale by all druggists. Price, 25c., 50c., and $1.00 per bottle.

Dr. Seth Arnold's Sugar Coated Bilious Pills unequalled for costiveness, jaundice, liver troubles. 25c.

On dits that when a millionaire tanner of Buffalo took his wife around to look at a $100,000 residence which he recently bought, her only criticism was that if she lived there she was afraid she "would have to keep a girl."

Eastern Middlesex Street Railway Company.

When the horse car track is laid between Melrose Highlands and Malden people may enjoy summer rides from Salem to Stoneham in an open car. No city in the world can offer its people a more delightful open-air ride for less money, through such pleasant scenes as this railway will make easy of access to all. Boston ought to make the acquaintance of her suburbs.—*Boston Record.*

Work is in progress on the Melrose end of the Eastern Middlesex Street Railway, which is the new name the Legislature has just given the Stoneham Street Railroad, and it is expected to begin between Woburn and Stoneham in the course of a week. Track-laying on this end of the line would have been quite well advanced by this date but for the delay in receiving "chairs" sent to New York for by the Company, and as soon as they get along the contractors will push the work with all their might and main so as to have the entire road from Woburn Centre to Lynn completed before the 4th of July. Then the *Record* can say with its customary conscientious regard for exact truth that people may be able to ride not only from Salem to Stoneham but to Woburn, No. Woburn, Winchester, and shortly, by the way of these communities, to Boston, over one of the best lines of street railway and through the most beautiful and picturesque scenery in suburban Boston, and so cheap that the poorest people will be able to enjoy the privilege with all its benefits and pleasures. No city in the world has suburbs so beautiful as Boston. Its relations with the country are peculiar and exist in kind nowhere else. One seems almost to run into the other and so mingle as to render it difficult to determine where the line between them lies. Thirty minutes walk or two-thirds of that time in a street car from Boston Common will land one in the midst of rough, uncultivated nature, among rocks, hills, woods, streams and ponds in the same virgin state they were when the Pilgrims landed on these shores—or very close to it—and in passing through them a stranger would never dream that within a circuit of ten miles he was surrounded by three-quarters of a million of driving, pushing, busy, prosperous people. In going along he enjoys the quiet and hush of primeval nature at one moment, and then ascending a hill but a few rods away sees spread out before him cities, towns, villages and hamlets all running into each other's boundaries and forming a vast community extending in all directions. This is the kind of a country that the Eastern Middlesex Street Railway will run through when completed, and such as the No. Woburn traverses now. There is nothing like it anywhere else in the world: it is the pride of Boston and the wonder and admiration of strangers.

The Chapman Valve.

About $11,000 worth of the Chapman Valve stock has been subscribed for by several of our prominent citizens which renders the location of the company here hopeful. It is tolerable safe to say that it will come. Mr. Chapman wants the manufacture of the valve to be secured by Woburn because he thinks it one of the most favorable locations in the vicinity of Boston for manufacturing establishments and one of the most desirable to live at which, with the strong local feeling in favor of the merits of the valve, the confidence in it as a business investment, and a lively wish on the part of the principal men of the town to secure it and other manufacturing industries, altogether make it quite certain that this important scheme will locate here. There is no question as to the value of Mr. Chapman's invention. The valve is superior to any ever made or used, much more valuable than the old Chapman one out of which immense fortunes have been and are now being made.

The Water Board of Boston, who are now holding a series of water-metre tests at the Charitable Mechanic Association building and have been for over two weeks, use this new Chapman valve in the experiments, it being the only one ever invented that can be operated by electricity. Engineering experts, scientific men, and all others who are engaged in these water-metre tests in Boston are enthusiastic in their praise of its merits and assert that satisfactory experiments with the metre could not be made without it. This is a big note for the valve, the peculiar excellence of which will be embodied in a card and published under the auspices of the Boston Water Board.

Vice-President Skinner of the Board of Trade has great confidence in the value of this valve as an invention and as a manufacturing business venture. He believes there is a great deal of money in it, and that is the sentiment of everyone who knows anything about it. Ex-President Flint, Messrs. B. F. Whittemore, L. B. Russell, Major Hall and other conservative gentlemen of intelligence have no doubts as to the worth of the thing as a business undertaking, and all say a company ought to be formed and its manufacture secured for this place. It looks now as if this might be brought about if a little more time and push are put into it.

"We Dig

Our graves with our teeth" is a trite but true saying. CHIPMAN'S PILLS relieve indigestion and cure contingent disorders, such as sick headache, biliousness, etc. They are purely vegetable; mild and pleasant in their action. Try them. For sale by all druggists.

Woman's Club.

The last meeting of the Woman's Club was held in the Baptist Church, May 6. The well known lecturer Mrs. A. M. Diaz spoke upon "True Work for Humanity:" We must have some general standing ground to start from and will take for that, the universal belief that something must be done for the bettering of the world. No matter what we are to do in the life, we must first look about and find the best and most practical way of doing it. So in philanthropic work we must use the most practical common sense methods.

At present there are three kinds of work going on for the benefit of humanity—alleviation, reformation and punishment, and these may all be classed under the head of surface work. Under the first comes the free bed system in hospitals. Now, since all sickness comes from sin or ignorance, the true way would be to spread light and knowledge in order to prevent sickness at all and then hospitals would not be necessary. The Temperance Reform work is best known. The money, time and energies consumed in this reform are incalculable, yet they only undo and do over again, what was started wrong many years before. Character comes out in conduct, so if the character be developed properly, the conduct will be right. A young man, who has been brought up to self-restraint, self-reliance, high aims and noble purposes will not need a prohibitory law. The third kind of work, punishment, would of course be done away with, if every young person were brought up in the right way.

False philanthropy brings welfare to a person, while true philanthropy stirs up his energies and makes him gain his own. The greatest trouble with surface work is in having the workers think that it is final, instead of merely the scaffolding to be used till the building is finished. It is a mistaken idea that philanthropic work should be exclusively for the lower classes. The higher classes should be helped *first* and then they could greatly benefit the rest for they decide how education shall be carried on, how religion shall be preached and what laws shall be enforced. At the close of the lecture, Mrs. Diaz spoke briefly on the "Woman's Industrial Union," of which she is president.

The president announced that the next meeting was to be a "Home Meeting," to be held in the Congregational church, on May 20.

Wilmington.

I notice that a good work has been begun in the cemetery, and although it is a "city of the dead" yet there seems to be more signs of life there than has been seen before since it was incorporated.

The chief topic of interest is the new schoolhouse. Whether it is to be or not to be that is the question? It is said that there is another town meeting brewing and a death-blow to the new building is threatened, and then it is hinted that there is another project being talked up which will be of interest to Goshen people.

The subscription for money to pay for the preaching at the Orthodox society church comes forward slowly and doubts are expressed by some of the leaders of the society, as to the prospect of being able to continue; but if the members will pay according to their ability as liberally as those who do not belong to the society there will be a plenty and some to spare.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; Service of Praise and Preaching at 7 p. m. The usual meeting Wednesday evening. Christian Endeavor Friday evening.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; Short sermon followed by prayer meeting at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening, prayer meeting; Friday evening, young peoples' meeting.

If the liver and kidneys are sluggish and inactive, Hood's Sarsaparilla will rouse them to prompt and regular action. Take it now.

Elopements are becoming so frequent in New Jersey, it is said, that business men now take their wives with them to their stores and offices.

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DYSPEPSIA, INDIGESTION, HEARTBURN, ACID STOMACH, or SICK HEADACHE,

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at once. All druggists sell them at 50 cents a box (trial size 25 cents). Sent to any part of the U. S., by mail, on receipt of price, by DOOLITTLE & SMITH, Wholesale Druggists, 24 and 26 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

The Cottage Hearth.

Boston, May 7, 1887.

The following item having appeared in the Boston *Herald* of May 2d, we have received several communications asking whether Mr. Milliken is in any way connected with the Cottage Hearth:

Daniel L. Milliken, publisher of press illustrations, etc., 25 Bromfield street, Boston, has gone into insolvency. Mr. Milliken resides at Maplewood and is a member of the Legislature. He was at one time associated with W. H. H. Murray in the publication of the Golden Rule newspaper, and more recently of Cottage Hearth and Good Luck.

The facts in the matter are that Mr. Milliken was formerly editor of the Cottage Hearth, which more than six years ago was bought by a stock company, and Mr. Milliken owning only one out of the 50 shares of the new Company has had no hand in its management since that time.

The Company is not therefore affected in the least degree by his failure and was never stronger or more prosperous. It has no outstanding bills, having always paid them promptly on presentation. The Cottage Hearth has rapidly grown in public favor the last six years, and with its largely increased circulation we think the title given it by the Boston *Transcript*, of being "The representative family magazine of New England," is well deserved.

Thanking you for past favors, I am,

Truly yours,

F. P. SHUMWAY, JR.
MANAGER.

We print the above that the subscribers of the JOURNAL who have *The Cottage Hearth* with it may see that the latter is solid.—ED. JOURNAL.

A Common Cold

Is often the beginning of serious affections of the Throat, Bronchial Tubes, and Lungs. Therefore, the importance of early and effective treatment cannot be overestimated. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral may always be relied upon for the speedy cure of a Cold or Cough.

Last January I was attacked with a severe Cold, which, by neglect and frequent exposures, became worse, finally settling on my lungs. A terrible cough soon followed, accompanied by pains in the chest, from which I suffered intensely. After trying various remedies, without obtaining relief, I commenced taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and was

Speedily Cured.

I am satisfied that this remedy saved my life.—Jno. Webster, Pawtucket, R. I.

I contracted a severe cold, which suddenly developed into Pneumonia, presenting dangerous and obstinate symptoms. My physician at once ordered the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. His instructions were followed, and the result was a rapid and permanent cure.—H. E. Simpson, Rogers Prairie, Texas.

Two years ago I suffered from a severe Cold which settled on my Lungs. I consulted various physicians, and took the medicines they prescribed, but received only temporary relief. A friend induced me to try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. After taking two bottles of this medicine I was cured. Since then I have given the Pectoral to my children, and consider it

The Best Remedy

for Colds, Coughs, and all Throat and Lung diseases, ever used in my family.—Robert Vanderpool, Meadville, Pa.

Some time ago I took a slight Cold, which, being neglected, grew worse, and settled on my lungs. I had a hacking cough, and was very weak. Those who knew me best considered my life to be in great danger. I continued to suffer until I commenced using Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Less than one bottle of this valuable medicine cured me, and I feel that I owe the preservation of my life to its curative powers.—Mrs. Ann Lockwood, Akron, New York.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is considered, here, the one great remedy for all diseases of the throat and lungs, and is more in demand than any other medicine of its class.—J. F. Roberts, Magnolia, Ark.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by Druggists. Price $1; six bottles, $5.

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From $15 to $75.

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Friday and Saturday, May 13 & 14.

Admission, 25c. Reserved Seats, 35c.

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Important Announcenent!

135 dozens Slightly Imperfect Linen Handkerchiefs at two-thirds price, ranging from 4c. to 20c. each.

We have secured another lot of Handkerchiefs manufactured by the celebrated house of Henry Matier & Co., Belfast, Ireland, subject to such slight imperfections that they readily pass for perfect goods, and we warrant them all pure Linen and fast colors. An opportunity to purchase from such an extensive assortment, and at prices quoted, does not often occur, and we advise our customers to call early in the day.

Also several other lots not mentioned here. Many beautiful novelties among them in Double Hemstitch, Block and Clear Lawn Handkerchiefs, both Colored and White.

These goods created quite a furor last spring. As the opportunity to obtain occurs only twice each year, our customers will consult their own interests by a prompt response.

Copeland & Bowser,

147 MAIN STREET.

Woburn, Mass.

NEW YORK

Millinery Store,

TRULL'S BLOCK.

New Store! New Goods!

A complete new stock direct from New York markets.

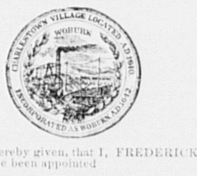
Stylish trimmed Hats and Bonnets, and all the latest styles and novelties of the season.

C. PACKARD,

235 Main Street, WOBURN.

Under Windsor Hotel.

TOWN OF WOBURN.



Notice is hereby given, that I, FREDERICK B. LEEDS, have been appointed

Inspector of Milk and Vinegar,

for the current year, in accordance with Section 1, Chapter 157 of the Public Statutes, also of Oleomargarine and Butterine, in accordance with Section 4, Chapter 317 of Public Statutes, and that all persons engaged in the sale of MILK, OLEOMARGARINE, or BUTTERINE, must be licensed for the same within thirty days from the date hereof.

FREDERICK B. LEEDS.

Woburn, Mass., May 2, 1887.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of Daniel Lynch, late of Winchester, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Mary Lynch, Administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court her petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

21-1 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Another Mark-down in Millinery Goods!

Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets, 25 and 50 cents, worth 50 cents and $1.00. A few ready-trimmed Hats and Bonnets, new this season, $2.00 and $2.50. A large lot of Ladies' Hats at 25 cents. Other goods in proportion.

MRS. C. A. PIERCE,
8 Johnson street, Woburn.

Spruce Trees.

I have a large lot of Choice Ornamental Spruce Trees for sale cheap.

R. S. SPAULDING,
Express and Hackman.

TO LET.

House of 13 rooms, No. 8 Johnson street, bath-room, furnace, and stable. Also for sale, few articles of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising Blackwalnut Chamber Set, Side-board, Roll-top Desk, Carpet, &c. Apply to

MRS. C. A. PIERCE.

TARRANT'S SELTZER APERIENT

In Tarrant's Seltzer you behold
A certain cure for young and old;
For Constipation will depart,
And Indigestion quickly start;
Sick Headache, too, will soon subside,
When Tarrant's Seltzer has been tried.

WANTED.

The address of ANNIE McCURDY, who moved from Peabody to Woburn. Any one sending same to D. B. H. POWER & CO., Marblehead, Mass., will be rewarded.

EGGS FOR HATCHING!

From pure-bred, high scoring,

LIGHT BRAHMA FOWLS.

WYER BROS., WOBURN.

Warren Street.

Sufferers

FROM

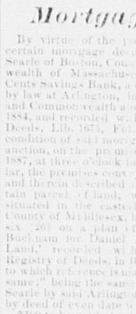
Severe Coughs

WEAK LUNGS, SPITTING of BLOOD, and the early stage of CONSUMPTION should use

Adamson's Botanic Balsam.

It has astonished most of the skilled Physicians. While it cures the Cough it strengthens the system and purifies the blood.

Sold by Druggists and Dealers.
Price 10 c., 35 c., and 75 c.



PURE

MILK.

I am engaged in sale and delivery of PURE MILK to the people of Woburn from my farm on Cambridge street, and respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

Orders left at Buckman & White's Grocery Store, 209 Main Street, will be promptly attended to.

P. G. HANSON,

Woburn, Jan. 18, 1886.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

By license of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, dated April 27, 1887, the subscriber, administrator of the estate of Rosanna Doherty, late of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises hereafter described, on the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D., 1887, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on John street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises, on John street, and at lot No. 21 on a plan of house lots owned by R. B. Richardson and Hannah M. Parker; from thence the line runs easterly by said John street, forty-five (45) feet, to other land now, or formerly of said Richardson and Parker; thence northerly, by land last named, one hundred (100) feet, to land of E. N. Blake; thence westerly, by said Blake's land, forty-five (45) feet, to lot No. 21 on said plan; thence southerly, by said lot No. 21, one hundred (100) feet, to the point of beginning: Being lot No. 25, and part of lot No. 24, on said Richardson and Parker Plan, and the same premises conveyed by them to said Rosanna Doherty, by two deeds dated May 12, 1881, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1568, Page 35, and March 27, 1884, recorded with said Deeds, Books 1661, Page 428. The premises will be sold subject to the life tenancy of George Doherty. Terms Cash.

GEORGE DOHERTY, Administrator.

Woburn, May 5, 1887.

By HOLBROOK & FOX, Auctioneers,
Office, No. 12 Post Office Square, Boston.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by Robert Poole Searle of Boston, County of Suffolk, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to The Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank, a corporation duly established by law at Arlington, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth aforesaid, dated August 1, A.D. 1884, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib. 1675, Fol. 581, and for breach of the condition of said mortgage, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Wednesday, June 1, 1887, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described as follows, namely:—"A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in the easterly part of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, being lot numbered twenty-six (26) on a plan of land surveyed by Edward Buckman for Daniel Ayer, called the 'Emerson Land,' recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, in Book of Plans No. 5, Page 23, to which reference is made for a full description of the same;" being the same premises conveyed to said Searle by said Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank by deed of even date with said mortgage.

$100 to be paid at sale. Other terms at sale.

THE ARLINGTON FIVE CENTS SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee.

By ABEL R. PROCTOR, Treasurer.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate in North Woburn.

By license of the Probate Court for the County of Middlesex, the subscriber, administrator of the estate of Sarah S. Marston, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday the twenty-first day of May, A. D., 1887, at five o'clock in the afternoon, the house and lot of land situate on the northerly side of Webster street, in that part of Woburn known as North Woburn, belonging to the estate of said Sarah S. Marston, and bounded westerly by land of James O. Cummings, there measuring about one hundred and fifty-two feet; northerly by land now, or formerly of Joseph Pierce, there measuring about sixty-nine feet; easterly by land of one Rooney, and land of William Poole, there measuring about one hundred fifty-eight and six-tenths feet; southerly by said Webster street, there measuring about sixty-nine feet. Said lot contains about forty square rods, and is the same premises described in a deed from Adoniram J. Watson and others to said Sarah S. Marston, dated December 19, 1864, and recorded in Middlesex South District Registry, Book 948, Page 504.

$100 will be required of the purchaser at time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.

EDWARD F. JOHNSON.

May 4, 1887.

By W. H. SMITH & CO., No. 7 Exchange Place, Boston, Auctioneers and Real Estate Agents.

Will positively be sold at public auction, on the premises, THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1887, at 4 o'clock, P. M., the dwelling-house containing 8 large rooms and unfinished attics, and 14,000 feet of fine garden land, situated on Nashua street, near the railroad bridge and Montvale Avenue, Montvale, near the depot, schools, &c. Terms very easy. $100 to be paid at sale.

Also, at North Winchester on Baldwin street, near Cross street, and near depot, a fine large cottage house with 8 rooms and about 8,000 land, shade trees, &c., will be sold same day at 5 o'clock P. M., $100 to be paid at sale; the terms will be a few hundred dollars down, balance on mortgage. The above will be a splendid chance for a working man to secure a good homestead at a reasonable price on easy terms.

By order of THE WOBURN FIVE CENTS SAVINGS BANK.

Woburn, May 5, 1887.

BLACKSMITHING

F. W. WELLS,

No. 7 Montvale Ave., Woburn, Mass.

All kinds of work done promptly, neatly, and at fair prices.

☞ Particular attention given to HORSE SHOEING.

PLUMBING.

W. A. PARKER,

Chestnut St., Woburn.

Is prepared to do Plumbing in all its branches, promptly, well, and at fair prices. Patronage solicited.

Woman's Column.

AN APPEAL TO NEUTRALS.

Lend us a hand! We are weary of striving,
Straining each nerve to win popular sense;
Why do you all, when we need your assistance,
Placidly neutral, sit still "on the fence?"

Women whose lives are a gay round of pleasure,
Friends to our cause, if we only succeed,
Give us a tithe of your wealth and your leisure,
Strengthen our hands in this time of our need.

Safe in luxurious homes, you need nothing;
Yet you are conscious of outrage and wrong,
Sympathize with us, our aims and our actions,
Yet lift not a finger to help us along.

Inwardly sure of the right of our pleading,
Secretly hoping success to our fight,
Step from your outlook, your neutral position,
Bravely and openly join us outright.

Fathers, whose children are lost by intemperance!
Men, whose young sisters are led into sin!
Have you not utterly failed to protect them?
Is it not time now for us to begin!

Laws which you pass seem made to be broken;
Open saloons are wherever we come;
Just let us help to make laws for our children,
Outside as inside, the four walls of home.

Why so reluctant, afraid to enroll us?
Do you not feel you must yield it at length?
Then, if your intellect fails to control us,
You can fall back on your "physical strength."

Deep in your hearts you approve of our wishes;
'Tis but a question of time, as you know;
Openly come to us, say you are with us,
Now is the time to encourage us so.

Are we not pleading for right and for justice?
Dare not deny it is no pretence.
Come with your influence, eloquence, wisdom,
Come down and help us! "Come off of that fence!"
—*Woman's Journal.*

INDUSTRIAL TRAINING FOR GIRLS.

If I were able, I would change the public sentiment so radically that no girl should be considered well educated, no matter what her accomplishments, until she had learned a trade, a business, or a profession. There would then be fewer fathers and brothers toiling like galley-slaves to support healthy and vigorous human beings in stagnating idleness—idle for no earthly reason save that God has made them women.

Lack of technical and industrial training not only makes dependent and inefficent women of our daughters, it puts them in fearful peril morally. Indolence is always demoralizing. It ruins health, destroys beauty, and enfeebles the will. "Out of 2,000 fallen women in the city of New York, 1880 had been brought up to do nothing; 525 pleaded destitution as the cause of their sad life." In view of these facts, which might be multiplied indefinitely, ought we not to rid ourselves of the inherited social idea that it is a shameful thing for young women to be taught to support themselves by honorable industry?

It is as wasteful, as unwise, as inhuman, to send our delicately-nartured and tenderly-reared young daughters out from the home to fight the battle of life without an equipment in the form of an industrial and business education, as it was to send these hapless young fellows to fight the enemy without drill, and without guns. The results are more disastrous, and reach farther. Our daughters are not shot down, like the untrained military recruit; they live, but with no individual grasp on life. They become anxious concerning the future, with no power to provide for it. At the mercy of circumstances which they know not how to control; victims of petty beliefs, old abuses, and respectable tyrannies, they drop into mental ill-health, and bodily disease comes with it. And frequently, long before death comes, they are consigned to the grave of oblivion, without even the courtesy of funeral ceremonies.

Or they marry, and make faithful, loving, lovely wives to admiring husbands. But the husband dies. He was living on a salary, which ceases with his life. His young widow has one or more children. What is she to do? Or the husband may drop into permanent invalidism, or into bankruptcy, or into dissolute habits. If the young wife has not been in part prepared for such emergencies by previous training, her lot is hard indeed.

"Oh, you can't prepare girls to meet such emergencies!" said an eminent clergyman, in whose parlors this topic was being earnestly discussed. "You must prepare them to be good wives and mothers, and risk the rest. There you will have to leave them, and trust in God."

Our trust must must be in God, to be sure. No one disputes that. And yet I have the deepest respect for the advice that Oliver Cromwell gave his soldiers, "Trust in God, *and keep your powder dry!*"—MARY A. LIVERMORE, *in "What shall we do with our Daughters?"*

Of course I am a suffragist. . . . I have so long believed that it was right for women to have a share in the government that it seems like the first axiom I learned in Geometry: "A straight line is the shortest path from one point to another."—Maria Mitchell.

If the principle on which we founded our government is true, that taxation must not be without representation, and if women hold property and are taxed, it follows that women should be represented in the State by their votes. . . . I think the State can no more afford to dispense with the votes of women in its affairs than the family. — Harriet Beecher Stowe.

A Public Benefaction.

How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in every family. The ELASTIC STARCH is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men have a practical knowledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the iron from sticking and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them clean twice as long. Beware of imitations. See that the name J. C. HUBINGER & BROS., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

Hon. James Russell Lowell or a citizen of Chicago seems to be needed in Kansas City, where the following criticism was lately produced: "As Shakspeare was not at his best when he wrote 'Richelieu,' so Booth is not at his best when he acts the leading part in this drama."

Renews Her Youth.

Mrs. Phœbe Chesley, Peterson, Clay Co., Iowa, tells the following remarkable story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of the town: "I am 73 years old, have been troubled with kidney complaint and lameness for many years; could not dress myself without help. Now I am free from all pain and soreness, and am able to do all my own housework. I owe my thanks to Electric Bitters for having renewed my youth, and removed completely all disease and pain."

Try a bottle, only 50c. at W. W. Hill's Drug Store.

Literary Notices.

GOLDEN DAYS for May has made a timely and welcome appearance on our table. We find on examination that, as usual, it is filled with clean, bright stories, sketches and poetry for the boys and girls with scores of pictures in illustration of the same. GOLDEN DAYS is an admirable monthly and suited to all classes.

THE NEW MOON comes out as bright as a dollar this month. It's pages teem with choice literature in the shape of fiction, poetry, etc., while the Editorial and other departments are brimful of good things.

Published at Lowell by the New Moon Co.

The number of THE LIVING AGE for 30th April and 7th May contain India and Thibet, Personification of the Mysterious amongst the Modern Greeks; History of *Punch*, Valentine Visconti, and The Present Position of European Politics, The Day after To-morrow, The Maid of Norway, Recollections of the Princess Victoria, The Moated Grange, The German Emperor, A Book about Dickens and Word-Twisting Nonsense, The Sign Language of Eastern Traders, An Evening with Carlyle, Planetary Influences, with instalments of Major Lawrence, Major and Minor, A Secret Inheritance and Richard Cable and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price (8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 monthlies or weeklies with THE LIVING AGE for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

Few People Escape

The taint of scrofula in the blood. With many it is hereditary; but it may also be acquired from want of air or lack of exercise, from improper food, or any cause which brings about weakness of the body or impurity of the blood. The disease is characterized by running sores, abscesses, enlarged joints, sore eyes, etc. No medicine has been so successful in curing scrofula as Hood's Sarsaparilla. The most terrible running sores gradually disappear under the purifying and strengthening influences of this great medicine. If you are a sufferer from scrofula and desire more evidence as to the wonderful success of Hood's Sarsaparilla, send to C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass, for a book containsng many remarkable cures.

Physical Deterioration.

It is said that, out of thirty-two young men of New York City who were examined recently for West Point cadetships, only nine were accepted as physically sound. The *Inter-Ocean*, of Chicago, commenting upon this ominous fact, says: "Such a note might well make the young men of our cities pause for a moment's thought. No man who violates the laws of health can have a healthy body. How few there are who do not study fashion and humor appetite more than they do the laws that pertain to a healthful body! Beer, the cigarette, too much amusement, and the hidden vices are making havoc with the physical manhood of all our towns and cities." In the total abstinence and social purity movements of the present period the entire community should feel a deep interest, and extend to them cordial sympathy and support as timely and greatly needed agencies to arrest this race deterioration in the young men and boys of our time.—*National Temperance Advocate.*

A Sad Misfortune.

Is to raise a nice family of boys and girls and then have them carried to an early grave by that terrible disease, Consumption. Heed the warning and check it in its first stages by the prompt use of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, warranted to cure and relieve all cases. Price 50 cents and $1. For sale by Chas. H. Buss. Trial size free.

Pundita Ramabai, of Hindustan, is now in Philadelphia studying and acquainting herself especially with American customs and methods of education which she hopes to introduce among her country women of India. In a recent letter to Miss Frances Willard she says: "To my mind, nothing appears so great as the temperance cause, which tries to strike the innumerable crimes at their root; and just now, as Hindustan is being flooded and ruined by liquor, people—especially women of that country—will take great interest in that cause. I have been trying to get a history of the temperance movement from the beginning, for I have always been a great admirer of the temperance movement and of its leaders. I shall tell my country women something about it when I go home."

It comes pretty near being a model establishment where you can furnish a house completely from cellar to garret from the stock on hand, and when you learn that in carpets alone theo have a stock valued at over $100,000, its magnitude becomes more apparent. So when such a firm advertises goods at phenominally low prices, or offers inducements much beyond those regularly made, you can easily perceive that they are amply able to do just as they promise, and whene a smaller firm would loose money by it, they would make a fair living profit on the transaction. For example, take the firm of B. A. Atkinson & Co. Read their announcement in another column.

During the past winter, a circus visited the town of Ayr, Scotland, and in connection with a prize conundrum scheme of its proprietor, a local liquor dealer with the view of advertising the excellent quality of his favorite brand, offered a prize which was to be bestowed for the best answer to the query: Why the whiskey in question resembled a certain bridge across the water of Aye? The prize answer was handed in by a poor boy and ran thus: "Because it leads to the poor house, the lunatic asylum and the cemetery!" He probably hoped for a suggestion of the strength of his whiskey and its supporting qualities, and was no doubt surprised at the very different answer received.—*N. Y. Observer.*

All medical authorities agree that catarrh is no more nor less than an inflammation of the lining membrane of the nasal air passages. Nasal catarrh and all catarrhal affections of the head are not diseases of the blood, and it is a serious mistake to treat them as such. No conscientious physician ever attempts to do so. It is held by eminent medical men that sooner or later a specific will be found for every disease from which humanity suffers. The facts justify us in assuming that for catarrh at least a positive cure already exists in Ely's Cream Balm.

There are 2,760 languages.

SONNET TO LIBERTY.

Not that I love thy children, whose dull eyes
See nothing save their own unlovely woe,
Whose minds know nothing, nothing care to know—
But that the roar of thy democracies,
Thy reigns of terror, thy great anarchies,
Mirror my wildest passions like the sea,
And give my rage a brother! Liberty!
For this sake only do thy dissonant cries
Delight my discreet soul, else might all kings
By bloody knout or treacherous cannonades
Rob nations of their rights inviolate
And I remain unmoved—and yet, and yet,
These Christs that die upon the barricades,
God knows it, I am with them, in some things.
—Oscar Wilde.

SCENE IN WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

A Long Procession of Mounted Savages. A Most Impressive Spectacle.

Some years ago, in late August, I was traveling from the land of the Blackfeet to Walla Walla, in Washington territory. I had followed an Indian trail from the Saskatchewan plains to the Cadotte pass. In the pass I unsaddled my horse for his noon feed and sat down to smoke. I had just left a noisy, buffalo hunting Indian camp, and presently I conjured an Indian scene. Columns of Indians, painted and stripped to their breech clouts, filed past me and disappeared in the haze which hung over the eastern plains. Great herds of buffalo sprang into life in my brain, and bands of Cheyennes, Sioux and Blackfeet pursued them. When the buffalo were falling and the plains behind me were a map of ever shifting light and color and active life, the Utes, mounted and with bent bows and long, grooved war arrows drawn to their heads, dashed past me and battle, savage and bloody, raged below.

I sat smoking and wondering why men ever became lonesome when they could repeople the remote solitude of highland and plain and enjoy scenes of human interest, when my horse threw up his head and sniffed inquiringly of the air and then trotted to me, and stood by my side looking at the summit of the pass, which was a few yards above us. Presently an Indian's head appeared above the crest of the range. I sat and looked at him and he looked at me. Soon another and another and another dark and savage visaged head rose above the crest, and then the head of a column of mounted Indians rode into sight. They were singing their marching song—much as the Indians in the Wild West show do. Every trail was occupied. The Indians looked neither to the right nor to the left, but marched slowly past me. There were old men, and warriors, and young men, all with their rifles across their knees, and hundreds of women, some of whom were handsome, and many children, and an army of dogs brought up the rear.

I thought I had conjured to very good effect. For an hour this column swept past me, and I sat on a rock and smoked and looked at them. Not a word was spoken to me. Hardly a glance was cast at me. The migrating people talked to one another, and laughed, and had a good time generally. Three thousand Indians defiled in front of me. They were gay with bright colored shirts, and gaudy blankets, and many colored painted faces. I knew that these Indians were portions of the Nez Perce, Flathead, Spokane, Okinagan, Wenatchee, and Peud Oreille tribes, and that they were going to hunt buffalo on the Saskatchewan plains and to fight the Blackfeet. These Indians riding past me in the Cadotte pass made one of the most impressive spectacles I ever saw in the heart of the republic.

That evening about dark, while I was riding westward on the Blackfoot river trail, I met a belated Indian who was hurrying after the main body. He made signs of inquiry to me, and I answered with signs. I did not fully understand the sign language, and the anxious Indian failed to interpret my meaning. Evidently I conveyed information of direful import. The dusky warrior started in his saddle. He slapped his mouth with open palm to express his great surprise, then wheeled his horse and galloped off before I had finished telling my story. I have often wondered what I really told that savage and to what I impelled him.—Frank Wilkeson in New York Times.

A Patron of Art.

The so called patron of art is often a vulgar millionaire, who thinks that the artist he invites to dinner should pay for his meal by entertaining the guests. A rich banker of Paris once invited Chopin, the Polish pianist and composer, to dinner. When the guests had risen from the table and repaired to the drawing room Midas, the host, pointed to a piano, and, in a matter of fact style, as if he were in his own bank, insisted on Chopin playing something.

Chopin was a true gentleman, but he could be finely satirical when he chose to be so.

"But, monsieur, the baron," said he, extending his hands, deprecatingly, "I have eaten very little."—Youth's Companion.

Care of the Skin.

Everybody knows that, in many diseases, the battle is lost or won on the field of the skin; according as its safety valve functions rise or fall. It is the principle outlet of the body. Four times more matter is carried out of the body by the cutaneous surface every day than by the alimentary canal.

It is a complete web of nerves and blood vessels; its thickly studded pores constitute the vastest system of corporeal drainage. Twenty-eight miles of tubing, 7,000,000 pores. If these become partially closed, disease is certain. It is preeminently fitted and intended to be the battle ground of the physician in his conflict with disease.—F. G. Welsh, M. D.

When a young man who vhas oudt of work and money und in rags comes to you for help, tell him "dere vhas room at der top." It vhas good advice—und werry sheap.—Carl Dunder in Detroit Free Press.

If you gif somepody advice find out first how he believes, und den make your advice to agree with it. Der man whose advice doan' tally mit our opinions vhas no good.—Carl Dunder.

It is said that a person can live cheaper, and at the same time more artistocratically, in Geneva, Switzerland, than in any other city in the world.

The meanest of all scandals are those that originate in fashionable boarding houses.

Adamson's Cough Balsam still continues to sell better with us than any other cough preparation; in fact, we sell more of it than all others together. It sells itself. J. W. Perkins & Co., Wholesale Druggists, Portland, Me.

Cornell University has scored another triumph. The base-ball nine has secured such a reputation for invincible strength, that it has been recently requested to withdraw from the New York State Association, and this it accordingly did.

In the spring, hundreds of persons suffer from boils, carbuncles, and other eruptive diseases. These are evidences that the system is trying to purge itself impurities, and that it needs the power ful aid which is afforded by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

A Russian engineer claims to have discovered a process of reducing petroleum to the form of crystals, which may be easily and safely transported to any distance and then reconverted into liquid form.

A New Craze in Bric-a-Brac.

Imagine a perfect sphere of glass with the polish of the diamond, perfectly devoid of tint, so pellucid that one can look into its very depths without catching the slightest ray of color; in fact, it is a gigantic dewdrop, clear and wonderful in its absence of color, presenting, as I have said, an astonishing contrast to glass, which is well to remember, as such bogus balls are often offered for sale, but can be told immediately by comparing them with glass. Rock crystal balls will not be collected like stamps, birds' eggs or coins. A ball one inch in diameter brings $1, two inches $5, three inches in diameter $15 to $35, four inches $40 to $75, five inches $125 to $150, six inches from $200 to $3,000, and from here they jump to astonishing prices, so that one can be as select in crystal balls as with diamonds.

The majority comes from Madagascar and Brazil, while the best known localities in Europe are Fredeberg, Salzberg, Zillerthal in the Tyrol and Hungary. Limited supplies come from Ceylon, and some has been found in this state, though not in large quantities. In the vicinity of Mont Blanc some fine specimens are found, and some years ago a peasant made a remarkable find at Galensteck, above the Trifengletscher. It was a granite cave, from which the discoverer took over 1,000 crystals, the finest weighing about 120 pounds. The largest was sent to this country, and is now in the collection of Mr. Clarence S. Bement, of Philadelphia. Another, known as "The Grandfather," is preserved at Berne, Switzerland. It weighs 276 pounds, while "The King" tips the scales at 225 pounds weight.—San Francisco Call.

The Story Teller of Tangier.

Of course the concourse of people attracts the professional amuser, as it would with us, and the people crowd around the snake charmers and conjurers and especially about the story tellers. The story teller, as he walks up and down a good deal and gesticulates much and violently, needs room, so the crowd groups itself on the side of the hill, making a natural theater, in concentric curves, of squatting figures. I have never seen such attention as one of these story tellers was given. His audience hung on his words. When he suggested a pleasing scene, the white teeth of the listeners all flashed out together; when he harrowed their feelings, there was a universal scowling and murmur; and when finally he made a joke, there was a spontaneous and delighted roar of laughter. Sometimes he would relapse into rude, at least rude sounding verse, when he would beat a tambourine, which served the double purpose of marking the rhythm of the chant and attracting new hearers. The culmination of the sport is on the birthday itself. Then thousands of people gather at the Soho or market place. This is an open space of some extent—the slope of the hill—at the lower end of which is the city wall.—Tangier Cor. Boston Transcript.

The Zoroastrian Religion.

Just here comes in the correction of a certain error that has often been made with regard to the Zoroastrian religion, that is treating it as a dualistic religion.

Nothing was further from Zoroaster's mind than to assume anything but one supreme being, one and indivisible. But that everlasting problem of all thinking minds, viz., the origin of evil and its incompatibility with God's goodness, holiness and justice, he attempted to solve by assuming two primeval causes which, though different, were united, and produced the world of the material things as well as that of the spirit. The one who produced the reality is called Vohn Mano, the good mind; the other, through whom the non-reality originated, is the Akem Mano, the naught mind. To the first belong all good, true and perfect things; to the second all that is delusive, bad, wicked. These two aboriginal moving causes of the universe are called twins. They are spread everywhere, in God as in men. It is only in later writings that these two are supposed to be opposed to each other, not within Ahuramazda, but without—to stand, in fact, in the relation of God and devil to each other.—Boston Herald.

No Two Hats Alike.

There is a peculiarity about ladies' head dressing which few men have discovered, notwithstanding their complaints with reference to high hats at the opera and their unjust and unwarranted assertions that their wives must have new bonnets to match those of the ladies in their set. That peculiarity is that no two hats worn by lovely women are alike. You may go to any public gathering, or watch the passing throng all day, and you will not be rewarded by seeing two hats that resemble each other, with a thousand to pick from. Is it intentional? I presume it is, upon the part of the milliner. It is only recently that I made this discovery, and I have yet to find the pair of bonnets or hats to match. There are hundreds of hats of like shape, to be sure, but the deft fingers of the milliner transform the original into an indescribable confusion of effect, which cannot be imitated or duplicated, to please the purchaser.—Globe-Democrat.

Superiority of Cast Iron Guns.

Experienced gun makers and artillerists have recently admitted that the steel rifle has not fulfilled the promises made for it. The Krupp guns, of which we hear so much, have never yet been subjected to such high pressures as have been applied to cast iron guns, and experience has shown it would not be safe to put them through such tests. Indeed, the cast iron smooth bore guns which have been converted into rifles by the insertion of wrought iron rifled cylinders have been fired under a pressure fully three times as great as it has been thought advisable to subject steel guns of the same caliber to.—Scientific American.

Flooding Land in Algeria.

The project of flooding a portion of Algeria from the sea has been abandoned, but it seems that large tracts may be covered with water from other sources. De Lesseps reports to the French academy that a single artesian well bored in 1885 is yielding some 2,000 gallons a minute, and has formed a considerable lake thirty feet deep, reclaiming from 1,200 to 1,500 acres of waste land.—Arkansaw Traveler.

Webster's supplement says toboggan "is a corruption of the American-Indian odabogan, a sled."

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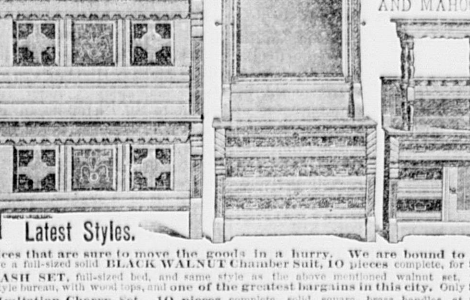

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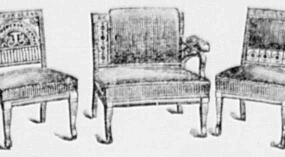

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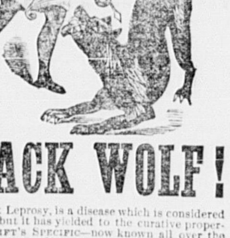

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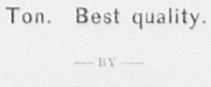

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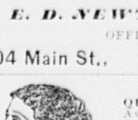

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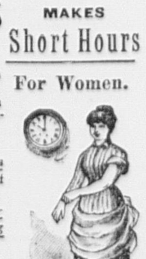

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THE WHITE-FACED MARE.

In the waning light of a September evening, about the middle of the last century, there might have been seen traversing at a foot's pace the broad stretch of commonland known to the natives of——shire, far and wide, as "Hangman's Heath," a stalwart, pleasant-looking gentleman of apparently that age when a man is supposed to be in his prime, mounted on an exceedingly well-bred bay mare, possessing two white heels, and probably the whitest face ever beheld on one of the equine race. It was no ordinary blaze of white this, such as is constantly seen on a horse's visage, coming down the centre, and tapering off to a point as it reaches the nose, but, beginning at the forehead, which it covered completely, it widened as it got beneath the eye, and reaching to where the cheek bone projects on either side, came straight down and right across the whole face, looking for all the world as if some one had taken a huge brushful of whitewash, brought it down with one deft sweep, and there left it.

Altogether, Major George Brabazon's good looking mare, owing to the extraordinary mark just described, once seen was not easily forgotten, though in justice it must be said that her perfect make and shape were quite enough in themselves to attract the attention at any time of any one versed in horseflesh.

George Brabazen, notwithstanding his forty odd years and his game leg, was still a very good-looking fellow; a trifle stout certainly, the natural consequence of living an easy and contented life after the knockings about and hardships he had undergone during his military career, but still very presentable for all that, with his fine, well-set up figure and well-cut features. Therefore it was not to be wondered at that he was looked upon by the ladies generally as fair game for them to set their caps at. For five years did the gallant officer resist all their wiles and artifices and go his jolly way rejoicing, laughing in his sleeve at their discomfiture. Then there suddenly appeared upon the scene a fair widow named Thompson. The Major was asked to come to tea one evening by his friend, Mrs. Matchum, for the express purpose of being introduced to the widow, and the Major though not much of a hand at tea drinking—a bowl of punch or bishop being more in his line—accepted the invitation as he admired Mrs. Matchum and was curious to see the Widow Thomson, whom he had already heard toasted. Alas! With that dish of tea away went the Major's freedom for good and all. He entered the house with all the confidence imaginable, his heart, as he thought, fully prepared against any seige that might be laid to it in the shape of captivating look and soft speeches, such as often employed with considerable success by lovely woman when in pursuit of her lawful quarry—man. He left it defeated at all points, having struck his flag and given up his arms without so much as the semblance of a struggle. Yes! there was no doubt at all about it. The fascinating Widow Thomson had effected in five minutes what all the other ladies thereabouts had been endeavoring to do for the last five years, and had fairly won the Major's heart at the very first attempt.

It was indeed a famous victory. Three days afterwards the Major was observed to leave Mrs. Matchum's house, and mount his favorite mare, who was being led about outside, looking, if it were possible, more radiant and jolly than ever. He was uncommonly smart, too, was the Major, his Ramillies wig was new, so was his coat, and as he rode gayly away he threw the astonished beggar who had held his mare a crown piece. Something was up with the Major. What could it be? All Plumperton was dying to know, and seeing that Plumperton was just about the last place to keep a secret in for long, you may depend upon it that it was not very long before Plumperton did know.

In half an hour's time the murder was out, and it was known all over the town that Major George was engaged to be married.

"To the Widow Thompson, of course," exclaimed Skinner, the lawyer, on being told the news by the Major, whom he met casually in the High street.

"Of course," replied the Major, pompously, as much as to say, "Who else could it be, stupid head!"

We must now go back to where we began, and join Major Brabazon as he rode slowly across Hangman's Heath. The reins hung loosely over the good bay mare's neck, and her rider, who apparently was not in his usual spirits, seemed lost in reveries.

The Major's thoughts ran thus:—I have been to the races on Smugglebury Down to-day, and lost my money—a good deal more than I could afford, especially with my wedding so handy; and I promised the future Mrs. Brabazon I would never bet again, too—ah! I meant after I was married, of course! I dropped a good bit on the cockfight yesterday, too. By Jove! I shall have to raise the wind, pistol me if I shan't—makes me feel quite low, I declare. On the top of that too—as if losing one's money wasn't bad enough—coming across poor young Jack Wilder swinging in his chains hasn't made me feel more cheerful. Stupid of me not to have remembered their stringing him up on the heath here. Poor fellow!—and I remember him a little chap in petticoats. First a happy young farmer; next drink, low company, and gambling; then "stand and deliver!" Poor boy, poor boy! such a goodlooking chap as he was too. Well, I like a good gamble, and I'm not opposed to a good drink in good company; but heaven forbid I should ever come to "the road." If ever I did, though, it would be odd if you and I did not show some of them a clean pair of heels, eh, Cicely, my girl? And the Major, patting his favorite's neck, seemed to cheer up all of a sudden as the mare gave a friendly whinny in reply to her master's caress.

"Hang the blues!" exclaimed the Major. "I don't often get them, but I've got a fit of them now, that's certain. 'Tis a long way home to Plumperton, and we've had a long, hard day of it. What say you, my lady, to putting up at the Wheatsheaf for the night, eh?"

And gathering up his reins, Major George set his mare going and did not again pull up until Cicely stopped of her own accord at a comfortable looking hostelry, which stood on the high road just at the termination of Hangman's Heath.

A shabby-looking fellow, with a terrible squint, made his appearance from the stable at the back, and stood at the mare's head.

"Oh! it's you, is it?" said the Major, as he got off. "None of your tricks this time, mind. You remember what I gave you the last time I was here, I suppose, for hitting the mare, don't you?"

"Yes," replied the fellow, sulkily, "I remember right enough."

"Very good; mind you don't do it again. If I catch you touching the mare this time I'll show you no mercy, you may depend on it. Show the way, and I'll see the mare done up and fed before I go into the house."

The man sulkily obeyed, and when he had seen Cicely comfortably done up for the night, and fed and petted affectionately the Major made his way through the kitchen into the bar, where he found the landlord and buxom wife and pretty barmaid all waiting to give him a hearty welcome.

"Well, Major, now you've made your old favorite comfortable with your own hands you must let us do you up right and proper for the night, mustn't us, mises?" said Jacob Shrub, as the Major at last made his appearance from the stable.

"I wasn't going to trust my mare to the tender mercies of that cock-eyed rascal of yours, you may depend." answered the latter. "I haven't forgotten catching him ill-using her with a pitchfork when I was here last. Jacob, and I'll venture to say he hasn't forgotten the taste of my horsewhip. I wonder you keep the fellow about the place," added he.

"Well, sir," replied Jacob, "to tell you the truth I only keep him on out of kindness. I did start him after the thrashing you gave him, and serve him right, Major; but he begged so hard for forgiveness that I took him on again, and he does a lot of work does Cross-eyed Dick, I can tell you, Major. If ever he offends you again though I'll show him no mercy, you may depend, sir."

"No, nor I, if he touches my mare," replied the Major, grasping his whip tightly as he spoke. "And now," continued he, "what have you got to eat in the house, Jacob? I'm right hungry, I can tell you, and want something as quick as I can have it."

"Well, now," said the landlord, scratching his head, "that's okkard—that it is. Save cold meat, there's nothing that you could have under three-quarters of an hour. But I'll tell you what, Major, there's a gentleman—an army gentleman, I fancy, like myself—has got dinner just going up to him in the Blue Room. Venison soup, a roast gosling and a damson tart to finish up with—more than enough for two, Major. If you wouldn't mind a joining of him, I'll send up and ask him at once."

"Oh, I don't mind a bit, if he don't," replied the Major; "on the contrary, I shall be very glad of his company if he's a good fellow; and if as you think, he's a soldier like myself, so much the better, as we can fight our battles o'er again over our wine. Don't lose any time, then, Jacob, but send up at once and tell the gentleman I shall be happy, if it pleases him, to join him at dinner." The message duly delivered by the landlord in person, the reply came back that the stranger sent his compliments, and would be only too pleased if the Major would honor him with his company. Major Brabazon, accordingly, was shown up to the Blue Room, where the stranger awaited him and the dinner was ordered at once.

Very agreeable it was, too, and very agreeable was the stranger. It was hard to say, indeed, which the Major liked best. Though not an army man, as the landlord had surmised, the new-comer seemed to have been everywhere and seen everything. A more jovial companion, too, the Major had never met. A game of piquet followed dinner, which ended in the Major rising a winner of £50. Then the latter proposed a bowl of punch. A second followed, and a third, and a fourth. How the Major got to bed he never knew; but he woke up late the next morning with a considerable headache, to find that the stranger had mounted his horse and taken his departure some hours before.

Breakfast dispatched, the Major followed suit, and ordered the mare around. And when he urged Cicely into a canter at the first bit of turf they came to he was surprised to find that his favorite went remarkably short. He had never known her so dull and jaded as she now appeared.

"She did nothing either, yesterday," muttered the major, "I wonder what the reason is. Confound that cock-eyed hostler of Jacob's! If I thought he had been playing any tricks on her I'd go back this minute and break every bone in his body."

It was market-day at Plumperton, just a week after Major Brabazon's sojourn for the night at the Wheatsheaf Inn, and the town of Plumperton was apparently in a great state of excitement about something or another—it seemed quite turned upside down, in fact. Business was apparently suspended. The magnates of the town in twos and threes, and all looking extremely solemn, were dotted about the High street in little groups. Farmers and their wives were gathered together at each street corner and in the market place, one and all looking as glum as could be, and one and all talking on the same subject, which, judging from the scraps of conversation to be heard as one passed by one of the assembled groups, was none other than Major Brabazon and his whitefaced mare.

"I'll never believe it of him, never, not if he was hung in chains ten times over!" exclaimed one buxom farmer's wife with tears in her eyes.

"No; nor me neither," said another. "But bless you, they'll never think of hanging the Major, no matter what he did. Any one else they might, but never the Major."

"It's a pity he hadn't another nag when he robbed t' coach," observed a young farmer. "It's that mare Cicely and that blessed white face of hern that's done the Major."

"Go along wi' thee," struck in a country dame, indignanly. "Go along wi' thee, Garger, any one, to hear 'ee talk, would think the Major was guilty like, instead of as innocent as a blessed unborn babe."

What could all this mean?

Simply this:—That a week ago—the very night, in fact, that Major Brabazon stayed at the Wheatsheaf—the London mail coach was stopped on the borders of Hangman's Heath by a single highwayman, and the psssengers robbed and the guard shot dead.

Highway robberies perpetrated by gentlemen of the road were at that of such every day occurrence that no one took much notice of this particular robbery, and two days afterward it was as good as forgotten by the Plumperton folk. But when on the sworn information of Timothy Trap, a London bagman, one of the passengers robbed, a warrant was granted for the apprehension of Major Brabazon, in consequence of which the Major had that very morning been arrested just as he was leaving his home to go and pay a morning visit to his lady-love, the fair Widow Thomson, the bad news fell like a thunderbolt on the town, and set everybody wild with excitement; as well it might, for there was not a soul in the place, and for miles around as well, who did not know and like the Major and his white-faced mare.

The Major turn highwayman and rob the mail, just as he was going to be married, too? Why, the idea was perfectly ridiculous.

At the inquiry before the justices, Jacob Shrub, who was called on the prisoner's behalf, proved that he assisted the Major, who was very far gone in liquor, to bed; indeed, he found him on entering the sitting room he and another gentleman had shared, fast asleep with his head in an empty punch-bowl and a half squeezed lemon between his teeth. He never saw him again until the next morning, when he breakfasted, paid his reckoning and rode off as any other gentleman might. As for the Major leaving the house in the dead of the night and getting in again without some of the inmates knowing of it, why it would be simply impossible—at least in his humble opinion. This was all the evidence on the Major's side.

On the other hand, Timothy Trap swore positively to Cicely, the Major's mare, and declared his firm belief—though he declined actually to swear to it—that the Major was the man who robbed him. He could not see his features for the mask that covered them but the figure was like the Major's build as possible.

The witness's cross-examination by the Major's counsel only made matters worse; for being asked how he came to know the Major and his mare so well he replied that in his capacity as traveller for Linsey & Son, of the Golden Fleece, Cheapside, he was constantly at Plumperton, and in consequence was well acquainted by sight with both biped and quadruped. Cross-eyed Dick, the hostler of the Wheatsheaf, was finally called (it was noticed that this witness gave the evidence very willingly). He declared that when he awoke, soon after daybreak, and visited the stable where Cicely was, the mare showed decided signs of having been out in the night since he han fed and bedded her down. She was splashed over with mud and looked very much distressed. Asked if he mentioned the circumstance to the Major or anybody else he replied he did not, because, in the first instance, he was afraid of the Major and in the second thought it was no business of his.

The trial of Major George Brabazon,

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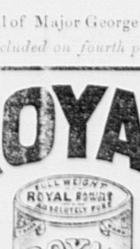

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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, MAY 20, 1887.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ There are no surface indications of an early adjournment of the Legislature of this State and at the rate the rules are suspended to let in new business it is doubtful if they get through much before fall. No stronger plea for biennial sessions could very well be put forth than that furnished by the present General Court. There is not a decently intelligent citizen of the State who can be made to believe that one half of each year is necessary to make new and undo old laws of this Commonwealth when in States twice as large and five times as much business three months sessions of the Legislature are held once in two years, yet Massachusetts continues the rusty old rule of annual sessions and six months ones at that. If the people could only get a thwack at the constitution they would change all that mighty sudden.

☞ The Boston newspapers are not in accord over the attempt of a powerful syndicate to seize and convert to street railway purposes parts of Boston Common. Some advocate the passage of the bill now before the Legislature which grants to the syndicate a right to take several of its malls, tunnel hills, and do divers and sundry things for their profit; while others fight the scheme and are bound to "down" it if possible. If the question could be left to the people of Massachusetts outside of Boston they would put a quietus instanter to the grand steal. Yea, all New England even would come to the rescue of Boston Common and the Frog Pond if they were only given a chance to do so.

☞ Prohibition is working very well indeed in this town just now. It looks almost as if it was going to prohibit, the current year, and change ours into a sober, orderly and very respectable kind of a community. Less evidence of much drinking of spirituous liquors is to be seen on the streets than there was last year, and the fact that several sellers have been raided, brought into Court and compelled to pay for what they had done seems to hold out an assurance that prohibition can, after all, prohibit and that it going to do so in Woburn this present year.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

F. A. Robbins—Circus.
J. D. Gilman—Citation.
T. H. Cahill—"Record."
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
Mrs. J. I. Hanson—To Let.
John H. Fox—Insurance Co.
John E. Tidd—Sheriff's Sale.
N. W. Ayer & Son—Wanted.
Mrs. J. H. Parker—Millinery.
Hatch & Adams—R. S. of G. F.
Dr. C. T. Lang—Teeth! Teeth!
First National Bank—Statement.
C. S. Gosse—Foulds' W. G. Meal.
Copeland & Bowser—Table Covers.

— Work on the new Savings Bank Block will begin at once.

— See advertisement of "Employees" in another column.

— Copeland & Bowser advertise this week, goods that the people want.

— The wind has blown right raw from the briny ocean all the week.

— John H. Fox is doing a large business for the "Employees."

— Yesterday was a hot one again. Rain is very much needed in these parts.

— The "Baby Pathfinder" has made its appearance bright and early this month.

— Yesterday was Ascension Day, and was duly observed at St. Charles church.

— Mr. Gilman F. Jones went to New Hampshire last Tuesday on a flying visit.

— Read "To Rent" in another column and then call at this office and learn about it.

— Insure against accidents in "Employees Liability," the first Company to adopt the new features.

— The Railroad Co. are putting in gates at Green street, and will do the same at the Highland Station.

— Mr. John H. Cummings accompanied the fishing party which went to Maine last Monday for trout.

— Walbridge Brothers, whose advertisement appears in this paper, have a good trade among Woburn people.

— W. H. Cummings has located his carpenter's shop on Park street, and Cyrus Lamb has moved his to High street.

— Edward Clafferty, John S. Hennessey and Nathaniel Jenkins are Woburn's Field-drivers for this present year of grace.

— Mr. Charles H. Barnes, 512 Washington street, Boston, gives the JOURNAL patrons some interesting reading this week.

— Mr. James Burbeck of Concord, N. H., paid his respects to the JOURNAL office last Tuesday. He thinks N. H. is all right.

— Col. Grammer has desirable residence property in his hands for sale. He does all kinds of real estate business and is reliable.

— The Reading and Wakefield people have engaged the Woburn Brass Band to furnish music for them on Memorial Day.

— The mechanics are making good progress on the buildings of the E. M. St. R'y on Salem street. They are huge buildings.

— Patrick Lombard, who has attempted suicide several times, is at the almshouse where he refuses to eat, being bent on self-destruction.

— Dr. Lang is one of the best dentists in the practice. They all say he is science, and that he does prime work at reasonable prices every one knows.

— This evening at the closing meeting of the Friday Night Club for the season a "Dairy Supper" will be given in the vestry of the Unitarian church.

— There is to be one of the neatest and handsomest opera houses in Dows block that there is in this part of the country. It will have all the modern improvements.

— Officer Mulkeen is busily engaged in taking the school census of the town. He will report one of these days and then we shall find out about the increase last year.

— Within a year the manufacture of the Chapman valve, which is coming here, will employ not less than 100 skilled mechanics, which will be quite an addition to the town.

— Mr. Charlie A. Jones bought the Dea. Millett homestead last week for $4,850. L. L. Whitney, Esq., the executor, caused it to be sold at auction and the price was a fair one.

— The following are the recently elected officers of the Innitou Canoe Club: Commodore, W. W. Crosby; Vice-Commodore, J. W. Brown; Secretary, R. Dodge; Treasurer, H. B. Grant.

— Mr. J. H. Parker, Salem street, offers handsome and fashionable millinery goods to the ladies of this town and vicinity at extremely low prices until July 1. Everyone will do well to read her card.

— The explanation of W. G. M. respecting his fishing story is perfectly satisfactory, and if there was as much as a hint of a suspicion of its veracity in our last week's item we take it all back and cry quits.

— The present agent for the American Express Co., Mr. William D. Grammer, at Woburn Centre, is soon to become messenger for the Co. between Boston and Lawrence, on the B. & L. RR. and will move there.

— More lots have been sold in the last week for building on Cleveland Avenue by Mr. Cummings. That thoroughfare has become settled up faster than any other locality in town since it was opened to the public.

— The Burbank Relief Corps, No. 84, will give their first entertainment in G. A. R. Hall, at 8 o'clock, next Friday evening, May 27. Tickets 10 cts. Ice-cream and cake will be for sale at the close of the entertainment.

— Mr. Leonard Parks, machinist at Freeman & Co's, cut the end of his right thumb plum off with a hammer last Monday. It was dressed by Dr. Graves who said it would be three or four weeks before Parks could go to work again.

— The East Wind is right there yet with a good prospect for remaining an indefinite period of time. It is not a welcome visitor, but its regular vernal appearance is a matter of course, so nobody minds it much or its disagreeable character.

— The St. Charles (Catholic) church choir have advertised to give a vocal and instrumental concert at Lyceum Hall on Monday evening May 30, for the benefit of the Music Fund of the church. The very best talent has been engaged for it.

— Last Tuesday one of the workmen on the East Middlesex Railway stable and car-house on Salem street accidentally cut his face with a hatchet very severely. He was taken in hand by a skilful doctor who repaired damages in good shape.

— The high officials of the Boston and Maine RR. Co. went over the Boston and Lowell RR. in a special car last Monday probably to see what kind of a bargain they had made. There is no knowing for a certainty that any bargain has been made yet.

— The Fair held by the Episcopal church in G. A. R. Hall on last Tuesday evening was a great and gratifying success in every particular. A little over $140 was cleared with which to improve the kirk-grounds, edifice, etc., which was a good bunch of money.

— The Editor of the Woburn JOURNAL confesses that he stays out nights after 11 o'clock. Thought he was a married man.—*Reading Chronicle*. We heard some time ago that his trip to Florida had unsettled Editor Twombly's mind, and now we know it.

— The flames which consumed the Washington Cotton Mills at Lawrence last Tuesday evening, at a cost of $150,000 to the owners, were seen very plainly by people in this place, many of whom thought the fire much nearer Woburn than Lawrence—16 miles. It was a big blaze.

— As Mrs. Francis Buckman and child were driving home to Central Square in their village cart last Wednesday the axel-tree broke and let the cart down to the ground in which condition the horse dragged it quite a distance. Neither Mrs. Buckman nor the child was seriously hurt.

— By referring to our advertising columns it will be seen that an Assembly of the R. S. of G. F. is about to be organized here and the sooner people join it the better it will be for them. Those who aspire to the honors and benefits of charter members should send in their names at once.

— The Reading *Chronicle* rises to make this remark respecting Farmer Allen of the *Advertiser*: "We are pleased to hear that Bro. Allen is able to support a dog. We had a suspicion that the other animal went away disgusted because he didn't like the editorial grub. We hope better success this time."

— The third game in the series of best three in five between the Woburns and Bostons for a purse of $200, will come off at Carter's Skating Academy to-morrow evening, May 21, and will be called at 8.30, previous to which hour there will be general skating. The contest between the Woburns and Bostons has created a great deal of interest and each game has drawn big houses. Carter's popular place will doubtless be plum-full to-night.

— Last week we put it down with considerable emphasis that Treasurer Frank Monks said the Stoneham Street Railroad Co. had been changed to the Eastern Middlesex Railway Co. It wasn't anything of the kind: he said it had been changed to East Middlesex, etc, and that is the new name of the corporation.

— Prof. A. A. Rhuland, the well-known horse tamer, gave some very interesting exhibitions of his influence over vicious animals and skill in taming them in this place last week which were witnessed by large companies of people. He is one of the most successful managers and subduers of nervous and ugly horses in the State.

— The Woburn Bicycle Club will give a grand ball at Armory Hall this evening for which everything proper has been provided. The arrangements are in the hands of a large committee who will leave nothing undone to render the affair a pleasant and successful one. The assembly deserves to be well attended by Woburn people.

— The Scandinavian population of this town has enjoyed a large increase in the last twelve-month, and they still continue to come. If 100 additional houses were to be built this summer this excellent class of inhabitants would grow much faster here. There are no better people on the globe than the Swedes, Norwegians, etc.

— The Assessors report an increase of population as far as they have gone. Of course they know nothing definitely as to what the total will figure up and express no opinion, but the JOURNAL predicts that their final report will be a gratifying one. Our opinion is the sum total of inhabitants will figure up to nearly or quite 12,750. Stick a pin there.

— The auditors of the Taunton Co-operative Bank have examined its affairs and find the earnings of the different share series for the past year fully up to expectation. Every success of this sort encourages an admirable plan to develop economy and thrift.—*Boston Record*. Right you are. The Woburn Co-operative bank is also a great success.

— Messrs. Copeland & Bowser are having their dry goods store enlarged. When the addition is made and finished the firm will have a store 37x80 feet, which is a good size—larger than the common run and nearly eqaul to the largest in the place, if not quite. It is conveniently located and when finished will make one of the most attractive dry goods stores in town.

— Principal Hanson of the High School is recovering his health in a satisfactory manner. He goes to the school every day and attends to its duties very much as though nothing had happened. His visit to the South evidently did Mr. Hanson a great deal of good. Everyone will be glad to know that he is at his post again and has been for a month or more.

— Horace N. Conn has been elected Captain of Co. G., 5th Mass. Reg't; Albert J. Dickinson, 1st Lieut.; William C. Parker, 2d Lieut. Next Wednesday the Company will parade on Boston Common for Regimental drill, to attend which Capt. Conn will please accept thanks for "comps" with the assurance that we will be there bright and early if convenient to do so.

— The Reading Co-operative Bank has declared a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent after paying the temporary expense and ten per cent of permanent expense, and passing 2 per cent of earnings to guaranty fund and small balance to surplus. Shares in the new series are now ready.—*Reading Chronicle*. That is a firstrate showing, but when Woburn's is as old as Reading's it will equal and probably surpass it. Both are blessings to their respective towns.

— If the reader of this item will turn his or her eye, as the case may be, to the new time-table of the North Woburn Street Railway Co. printed on the inside of this paper, he or she will see that changes have been made in it, and also that the Company are doing splendidly by the public in the way of Sunday service. On Sunday afternoons a car runs from No. Woburn to Winchester every hour, and as soon as the summer time-table comes out one will run every half hour.

— The tournament of the Middlesex County Tennis League will be held May 28 and 30, and the events are open to the following clubs: Winchester, Somerville, Woburn, Melrose, Reading, Lowell and Tufts College. The tournament will be for singles and doubles, and first and second prizes will be offered. The entrance for each event is 50 cents. The balls and rules of the National association will be used. The tournament will be held on the grounds of the Winchester Tennis Club.

— It will take Mr. Simonds and his Superintendent, Mr. Delano, until the middle of June to complete and make everything ready for lighting the streets under the contract with the town, and they will do well if they get through before the 1st of July. The additional lights require 175 more poles than are now standing and not less than seven miles of wire, the cost of which, all ready to touch off the lamps, will exceed $1,500. Men are at work setting poles and getting everything ready to strike the lights as soon as possible.

— The St. Charles Base Ball Club of Woburn defeated the St. John Club of Quincy at Quincy on Saturday last by a score of 9 to 2. The St. Charles have a strong nine this summer and the only trouble is in getting a field handy to the town and suitable for match games. Their uniform is of white trimmed with red with St. Charles. W. across the breast. The players consist of James Cunningham, Joseph F. Larkin, Dennis Begley, Thomas Beatty, Henry Matthews, Jeremiah F. Carey, James H. Carey, William Mooney, Owen Reddy, and Patrick Kelley.

— As near as we can learn Chief of Police Nelson has gone Down East—to Parlin Pond, probably—for a fortnight's trouting. A dozen of Lynn fishermen, Landlord Cobb of the Central House, and perhaps others, composed the company. The same crowd go off down there together every year and have a great time. Officer McGee, Deputy, will fill Chief Nelson's place during his absence. It won't be healthy for Mr. Nelson to come back to Woburn without a handsome string of "speckled beauties" for the editor of the JOURNAL.

— President Hinckley of the Woburn Gaslight Co. informs us that it is not the intention of the Co. to manufacture water gas, as some seem to have thought was the object of the new deal, but to afford a much better light than is now furnished our people and charge no more for it. At the present price they propose to give a 20-candle instead of a 16 candle light as is now done and in this way, and by extending the Co's territory and giving all who want it good gas at a reasonable cost they hope and expect to secure the public goodwill and patronage.

— The question as to whether Woburn has population enough to entitle it to a city charter is settled beyond dispute. Under the vote of the town whereby they were directed to do so the Assessors have taken the census of Woburn and have the figures to show for their work. These prove that we have the necessary number of inhabitants to entitle us to the dignity and benefits of a city with at least 700 to spare. A very handsome gain in population is shown and still they come from all points of the compass and the cry is for houses to live in. The fact is Woburn is enjoying this season the biggest boom yet.

— The editor of the Woburn JOURNAL says the *Riverside News* article on "Temperate Temperance" is as clear as mud to him. Woburn has been a no-license town only a few days, and the JOURNAL man is muddled already. This once again suggests the question: Does prohibition prohibit?—*T. R. News*. The *News* feels just a little sour over Medford's isolated position on the temperance question and must therefore be excused for spitting out its spite once in awhile. Medford should keep her eye fixed on Woburn, follow the good example in temperance and morals set by her, freeze to her as guide, counsellor and friend, and then Medford will be all right. It would help matters along considerably though if her newspapers would emulate the virtues of the JOURNAL a little more than they do at the present time.

— There was a full meeting of members of the Board of Trade last Tuesday evening at which various matters were discussed, among them the question of renting rooms in Dows new block, in favor of which there was a strong leaning. The Business Committee reported on the Chapman valve enterprise which was accepted and further time given them. The prospect for the business coming here is favorable. Nearly $18,000 subscriptions were reported and a good sight for more. Great confidence is expressed in the valve as a business enterprise and by none more than those who know both Mr. Chapman and his invention. A well known Solicitor of Patents in Boston subscribed $1000 to the stock a few days ago on the strength of his knowledge of the valve and acquaintance with its inventor. He says Mr. Chapman was never known to fail in a business undertaking. Within a short time men will try in vain to buy this stock at 100 per cent above par value. Mr. L. B. Russell's large new building will be used for the manufacture of the valve, no doubt.

— The Permanent Committee are talking about getting up a roaring celebration next 4th of July here at home. They are a unit in favor of the scheme so we hear and Farmer Allen has placed on it the great seal of his approval with an emphasis that can't very well be misunderstood. Everyone of them says it is a go and so a go let it be. The principal reason why the JOURNAL approves of the plan of Woburn's celebrating the anniversary of America's natal day is because if she does so it will probably be the last celebration that will ever be held within her ancient borders while she remains a town. In all human probability before the 4th of July, 1888 rolls round Woburn will be a city, and therefore the propriety of celebrating the now rapidly approaching Independence Day in grand style and regardless of expense will strike the average Woburn mind as just the checker. And no mistake. Hence we second the Committee's idea for a tremendous blowout here next 4th at the town's expense and for her glory, and move the previous question.

— Mrs. Cotters came here from Nova Scotia last Saturday in search of a disloyal husband who had been missing from the domestic hearthstone for about a year and whose domicile during that period had been Woburn. The abused wife got a hint of the whereabouts of her wicked spouse and also the kind of a life he was leading with a certain woman here and so she posted off in pursuit of the runaway. Arriving here last Saturday the poor woman learned positively to her grief and sorrow that William, her lawful husband, was leading a bad life on Conn street and thither she repaired with blood in her eye as fast as a good stout pair of neither extremities could carry her. The gay Lothario was found there, duly hauled over the coals, made to promise better fashions and return quietly and lamblike to the land of the Bluenoses. To show that he meant business he took his much abused and neglected wife to the Windsor Hotel and bespoke board for her. Then William had an errand down street and that was the last she saw of him until—well, it is not absolutely certain she has set eyes on him since, although it is currently reported that, in consideration that she would not swear out a warrant and have him arrested, he promised to go back to Nova Scotia with her, and that on Monday the twain left per steamer for the old roof-tree away Down East.

Meetings of the Selectmen.

Last Monday a special meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held at Municipal Building for the transaction of important business. There was a good attendance of members.——Druggists, or 6th class, licenses were granted to W. W. Hill, C. H. Buss, Fred B. Leeds, Geo. S. Dodge, Geo. A. Loring, these gentlemen having previously petitioned for the same, and the necessary preliminaries having been duly complied with.——The Highway Committee recommended that a fence be built on the west side of Main street between Chestnut and Kilby streets, on the line as fixed by the County Commissioners.

The regular mid-monthly meeting of the Board was held on last Tuesday evening at their rooms in Municipal Building at which all the members were present. Chairman Skinner presided, and Clerk Ferguson kept the minutes.——The petition of Patrick Calnan and others for a side-walk on Winn street between the residence of Mr. Marc Littlefield and the Railroad crossing was Referred to Higway Committee.——Committee on Claims recommended the payment of the Gage claim which was adopted. The Committee were granted further time in the Kerrigan claim.——Mr. Richard Terrett appeared before the Board with a complaint against the town for damages done his place by water. He made a speech. Referred to Committee on Highways.

Y. W. C. T. U.

Miss Ida C. Clothier of Boston will give an address in the Congregational church on Thursday evening, May 26, under the auspices of the Y. W. C. T. U. The first part of the evening will be devoted to the reception of guests, after which the address will be given. All are cordially invited to be present, and members of the Society hope to see a large gathering on that evening.

Miss Clothier has charge of young ladies work in connection with the Massachusetts Woman's Christian Union. She is deeply interested in the young people of the State and is constantly addressing them either in special meetings or in the Christian Endeavor societies of the various churches. She is bright, enthusiastic and attractive, and makes one feel that it is not only a Christian duty to be a worker in this work for God and humanity, but also that a young lady or gentleman failing to respond to her appeal loses an opportunity of personal culture, mental and spiritual, and the broad outlook which comes to one who engages in philanthropy touching all classes and every country of the world.

The *Sun*, of Pittsfield, says: "Miss Clothier made one of the best addresses at the recent State Convention heard in that town."—N. F. TRUE, Secretary.

A Capital Circus.

The performances given by the Frank A. Robbins circus which will exhibit at Woburn, on Wednesday, June 8th, are considered by all to be the very best that has been exhibited for years. The proprietor has a superb stock of handsome horses, gay trappings and wagons which makes a very fine street parade in the morning. The tent show is immense, there being two rings and a host of skilled performers. The bareback riding by Mr. Charles W. Fish whose position as champion of the world is undisputed. The great Hurdle and bounding Jockey Act by the celebrated Jeal sisters, the trapeze performance, acrobatic feats and lofty tumbling are as fine as ever seen in the saw dust arena. Ira Paine, the great master-shot, gives a thrilling exhibition, displaying great skill as a marksman. One of the finest things in the circus is the exhibition given by the group of performing elephants who play on all kinds of musical instruments, drill like soldiers, and who dance every figure of the lanciers in perfect time.

Full particulars of the many wonders to be seen, can be found by reading the advertisement in another column.

The "Employees" pays principal sum for loss of two limbs.

A Temperance Mission.

There will be given in St. Charles church, Woburn, beginning Sunday evening, May 22, 1887, at 7.30 o'clock, a course of sermons (week evenings at 8 o'clock:)

May 22—Religous Helps in Temperance Reform. Rev. Joshua P. Bodfish, Rector of the Cathedral.

May 23.—The Moral Evils of Intemperance. Rev. R. Neagle, of the Cathedral.

May 24.—Its Temporal Evils. Rev. H. R. O'Donnell.

May 25.—Its Causes and Occasions. Rev. P. A. McKenna, of Marlboro.

May 26.—The Remedies. Rev. J. J. McNulty, of Boston.

ORDER OF DEVOTIONS.

(Each evening at 8 o'clock.)

1.—The "Magnificat," or a hymn, by the Choir.
2.—Announcements.
3.—The Rosary or other Prayers for the conversion of the intemperate.
4.—"Veni Creator Spiritus," by the Choir.
5.—The Sermon.
6.—Antiphon of the Blessed Virgin, by the Choir.
7.—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.
8.—"Holy God, we Praise Thy Name." Sung by the Choir and Congregation.

The above named speakers are all eloquent advocates of temperance, gentlemen of note in the State, and will give the public able addresses during the mission.

Haverhill & Lawrence Road.

LAWRENCE, May 13.—Professor George L. Vose of Boston, who was selected by Mayor Bruce to ascertain if the Canal street route of the Haverhill & Lawrence Railroad in this city was practicable, and, if not, to ascertain if any route in the street was feasible, rendered his report today. He says in substance that the route submitted by the Haverhill & Lawrence directors is impracticable and objectionable in great part. He submits a route which is feasible and covers the distance between Russell's paper mills and the Boston & Lowell bridge over the Merrimack. The route continues in Canal street to the Specket River, crossing said river below the Canal street highway bridge, then turning to the right and passing through the grounds and buildings of the Russell Paper Company. From this point there is no difficulty in making proper connections with the route submitted by the corporation.

This route obviates all the difficulties urged against the old route, and will not interfere with the Pacific mills, although it will necessitate the rebuilding of the Boston & Lowell bridge over the canal, owing to a curve at that point.

Mr. Charles Corliss, clerk of the Haverhill & Lawrence Railroad Corporation, was in town this morning and stated that the Company will build the road as soon as a right of way is granted by the Lawrence board of mayor and aldermen. He refused to state anything further, but it is believed that some large railroad is back of this persistent effort to secure a line between Haverhill and Lawrence.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—Rev. George Batchelder, formerly of Chicago, will preach at 10.30 a. m.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; Short sermon followed by prayer meeting at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening, prayer meeting; Friday evening, young peoples' meeting.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; Service of Praise and Preaching at 7 p. m. The usual meeting Wednesday evening. Christian Endeavor Friday evening.

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North Woburn.

SPECIAL MEETING. There will be a special meeting of the Rumford Historical Association at the Rumford House, Tuesday evening, May 24, at 7.30. A. R. LINSCOTT, Secretary.

No part of the town has made a larger comparative gain in population during the past year than this. I hear that the actual gain has been in the neighborhood of 140 which is very flattering and proves true what the JOURNAL and its correspondents from here have all along claimed, and that is, that, given a fair chance, and No. Woburn would go ahead much more rapidly than other sections of the town owing to its superiority as a residence place. Its advantages in this respect are unsurpassed by any locality near Boston. The country hereabouts is picturesque and charming, full of beautiful landscapes, delightful views, pleasant drives in all directions, and the town's facilities for travel are, with steam and street railroads, etc. equal to the best. This section of Woburn has felt the boom which the town has enjoyed during the last 18 months and is now having to a greater extent than ever, and nowhere have the people been more benefitted by it than ours.

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The Anarchist ranter who declared in a public meeting at Allegheny City, Pa., that the American flag was only a rag on a stick, was fined $25 by the Mayor as a disturber of the peace.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, May 13, Rose Lovett, aged 28 years, 7 months.
In Woburn, May 13, Mary Tracy, aged 10 months.
In Woburn, May 16, Ann Geary, aged 66 years, 4 months, 26 days.
In Woburn, May 16, Ellen Goodrou, aged 55 yrs.
In Woburn, Edward E. McAllister, aged 19 days.
In Woburn, May 17, Mary Martin, aged 33 years.
In Winchester, May 14, Jeremiah Ragan, aged 13 years, 4 months.
In Chelsea, May 18, Mrs. Ida Benson, daughter of H. G. and M. B. Woodbury, aged 37 years.

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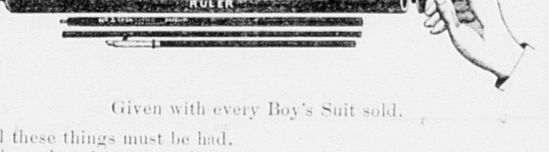

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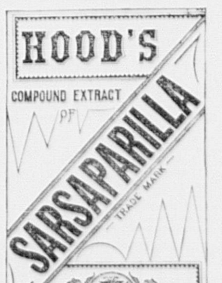

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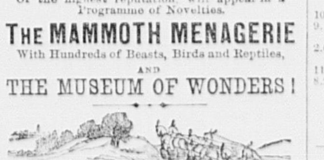

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WINCHESTER.

The *Boston Courier*, the leading society paper of the Hub, says Mr. Edward D. Libby of this town will sail next week with a friend and travelling companion who will accompany him on a pedestrian tour through Ireland and Scotland, and after that visit Continental Europe and spend some time in its principal Capitals.

I told you several weeks ago that some of the people of Hill district did not cordially endorse the policy of the School Board in setting up the Hill school, and now I see some of them have petitioned the Board to be allowed to attend the Wyman School. The idea of "keeping school" for so few families as there are in the Hill district is not practical.

Our esteemed and distinguished fellow-citizen and Boston's honorable post master, Gen. Corse, who signalled Gen. Sherman from the "battlefield above the clouds" (mebby I am "mixing" history a little here) that he would "hold the fort until —— freezes over" —this same gallant soldier was last week unanimously elected a member of the St. Botolph Club, Boston, the most exclusive, toney, high-flyer and blue-blood Club in the city.

All agree that the ten days spent with Mr. Mills the Evangelist have been most happy and profitable. A marked characteristic of the work, including the preparatory services, has been the perfect unanimity of the churches. A general feeling remains that union meetings must continue. The first of the new series therefore will take place at the Baptist church on Friday evening at half past seven when further announcements will be made.

There ought to be grand public ceremonies over laying the corner-stone of the new Town House and I should not wonder if there would be. The occasion will present an opportunity to have Gov. Ames, Lieut. Gov. Brackett, and other official dignitaries out here, a visitation from eminent Free Masons, men of note, and some fine speeches. I should hold up both hands to have the corner-stone laid in place with imposing ceremonies conducted of course by the Free Masons, and if our Building Committee, or whoever has the matter in hand, fail to improve this opportunity to parade Winchester before great men and show off her charms they ought to be called to account.

The Winchesters played their second game defeating the Woburns 26 to 12. The errors were numerous but the home team batted hard and ran bases in a manner that surprised their friends. The score is as follows:

WINCHESTERS.

	AB	R	BH	SB	PO	A	E
Purrington, lf.	6	4	4	4	1	1	0
Covell, 2b & cf.	6	5	4	4	1	2	2
Rust, ss.	5	4	4	3	1	4	1
W. Goddu, p.	5	3	2	2	1	5	0
Templeton, cf & 2b.	4	2	1	3	2	0	1
W. Rice, rf.	4	1	2	2	0	0	0
Wheeler, c.	4	2	2	3	4	2	4
N. Goddu, 3b.	4	2	1	2	1	0	2
Dupee, 1b.	4	3	2	3	7	2	1
Totals,	42	26	22	26	18	16	11

WOBURNS.

	AB	R	BH	SB	PO	A	E
Morgan, cf.	4	0	2	2	0	0	1
Conant, 2b & ss.	4	1	2	2	0	2	2
Taylor, 1b.	4	3	1	3	7	2	3
Conn, p.	4	4	1	4	0	4	2
Littlefield, rf.	4	1	0	1	0	0	2
Murdock, 3b.	4	1	1	2	1	1	3
Pollard, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	1
Bland, c.	4	1	0	0	3	0	6
Carney, ss & 2b.	4	1	1	0	4	2	2
Totals,	36	12	8	14	15	11	22

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Winchester's	2	6	7	2	9	—	26
Woburn's	2	3	1	3	0	3	12

Earned runs—Winchesters 10; Woburns 2. Two base hits—Rust, Covell and Conant. Left on bases—Winchesters, 4; Woburns 5. Struck out—Bland 2; Carney. Passed Balls—Wheeler 4; Bland 6. Total base hits—Winchesters 24; Woburns 9. First base on balls—Winchesters 10; Woburns 3. Wild pitch—Conn 1. Time of game—2 hours. Umpire—Carlton.

New Books.

THE FIRST KHEDIVE. LESSONS IN THE LIFE OF JOSEPH. By Rev. Daniel March, D. D. Philadelphia: Presbyterian Board of Publication.

More than likely it is because the Bible history of the life of Joseph is so full and clear that a larger number of pens have not attempted its amplification, or to excite and enhance the reader's interest in it. Few, if any, prominent characters mentioned in the Scriptures have received less attention from secular writers than this as great as any to be found in the records of the Old Testament, and whose existence was the beginning of a long and providential chain of events more important than those connected with the lives of almost any of the famous persons of Bible times. Careful and patient search through the largest and best libraries fails to reward the seeker after further information concerning Joseph and scenes among which he spent his eventful and romantic life with more than a very few small volumes which contain nothing in the way of fact or moral that seemingly would warrant their production.

For these and other reasons Dr. March's new book, "The First Khedive," will be warmly welcomed by Bible students, people connected with Sunday School, and Christians generally. He does not profess to give any more of the history of Joseph than is to be found in the Old Testament story, and those who would find out the greatest value of his work must look for it in the "Lessons" with which each stage of the deeply interesting narrative closes, and not in things added to the narrative itself, although that is made to read almost like a new one by the handling which it receives from his able and graceful pen. Dr. March has a faculty of taking his readers to the very spots described and familiarizing them with the real scenes, making them acquainted with the people and characters which he writes about, which not many authors possess, certainly not to the degree to be found in his descriptive writings. The exercise of this rare power is one of the chief charms of Dr. March's literary productions. It allows the reader to become personally acquainted, as it were, with everybody and everything included in the theme treated, and makes the narrative seem like common every-day present life. In "The Days of the Son of Man" this gift of making things, scenes, acts, and persons real and present before the eye gives a different view of the earthly life of Christ, just as the story of Joseph, his people, the country and every other thing connected with it described in "The First Khedive" is made familiar and genuine life to those who study it. The following from last week's issue of the *New York Observer* gives a fair estimate of the merits of Dr. March's latest book:

The story of Joseph is one of the most charming bits of biography to be found either in sacred or profane literature. In this new volume the author has made most vivid and real the scenes and incidents of this delightful narrative. He takes the reader back into the days of the story and describes the places and the people and the customs of that early time with such truthfulness and fidelity, that we seem to be actual spectators of or participants in the occurrences of which we read. But the highest value of the book is not its faithful pictures of times and places, but its practical teachings drawn at every point from the story of Joseph. Dr. March is, first of all, a preacher, and he has not forgotten his sacred calling and commission in this volume. Every chapter, after giving its portion of narrative, closes with its practical lessons. This will make the book of great value to teachers, especially while we are passing over the lessons on Joseph.

The volume contains nearly 350 pages, is quite profusely illustrated by pictures of Eastern and Bible scenes, is well printed and handsomely bound.

Wilmington.

EDITOR OF WOBURN JOURNAL:—An item in your last issue contained extravagant statements relating to the condition of the Congregational Society in this town, expressing doubts as to its being able to continue. It is true that the society is not rich, and sometimes experiences a little difficulty in raising enough funds to pay its expenses; but these expenses have been met by the society in all the years past; and there is every reason to believe that this ancient institution will be cherished and sustained for a long time to come. Nearly enough money is pledged for the requirements of the coming year, and the existing net indebtedness of the society is less than $200.

A good interest is shown in the church, the people being united in their pastor and in Christian work. There have been seventeen admissions during the present pastorate, thirteen of which were on professsion of faith.—B.

Wilmington, May 18, 1887.

BURLINGTON.

Last Wednesday afternoon, May 11, here was a severe fire in the woods adjoining Mr. Daniel McIntire's farm. A large extent of woodland was burned over, and the house and barn belonging to Mr. Otis Simonds were only saved by the efforts of the workers who gathered at the alarm of fire.

Mr. Augustus Prouty received a letter from Oakfield, Aroostook County, Maine, this week, which tells of the severe winter they have had there. On May 5 the snow was four feet deep. The roads had been impassable for two months and the winter is said to have been the most severe ever known in that region.

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The "Employees" pays one half principal sum loss of one hand or foot.

Robbins' Big Show.

This establishment which will exhibit at Woburn, Wednesday, June 8, and give two performances, comes to us highly recommended by the press throughout the country wherever they have performed. The following notice taken from the Ansonia *Sentinel*, one of the most reliable papers in Connecticut, we commend to the attention of our readers: "Robbins' circus is an exceptionally good show, in variety and quality of its performances it stands without a rival. It is really a triple show, with double rings and a raised platform between them, in and upon all of which performances are conducted at the same time, giving a bewildering vision to the beholder. The bareback riding was excellent, that of Chas. W. Fish the champion bare back rider of the world was marvelous. Mr. Fish seems to ride better every time we see him. The marksmanship of Ira Paine, the master shot of the world, is the finest we ever witnessed. His performance is indeed a novelty and one that all sportsmen should see. The balancing, trapeze performing and jugglery were the acts of old professionals, while the vaulting and tumbling were notably good. Harbeck, the contortionist, might well be termed a human eel, his feats of twisting giving to his body the appearance of entire absence of bone. The performing ponies were much of a curiosity in their way, but overtopping them and all other shows was the herd of trained elephants whose displays of intelligence were wonderful. Jumbo was a marvel in size, but Robbins' elephants will eclipse in general interest anything yet produced in the elephantine line."

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AYER'S Hair Vigor has given me perfect satisfaction. I was nearly bald for six years, during which time I used many hair preparations, but without success. Indeed, what little hair I had, was growing thinner, until I tried Ayer's Hair Vigor. I used two bottles of the Vigor, and my head is now well covered with a new growth of hair.—Judson B. Chapel, Peabody, Mass.

HAIR that has become weak, gray, and faded, may have new life and color restored to it by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. **My hair was thin, faded, and dry, and fell out in large quantities. Ayer's Hair Vigor stopped the falling, and restored my hair to its original color. As a dressing for the hair, this preparation has no equal.—Mary N. Hammond, Stillwater, Minn.

VIGOR, youth, and beauty, in the appearance of the hair, may be preserved for an indefinite period by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. **A disease of the scalp caused my hair to become harsh and dry, and to fall out freely. Nothing I tried seemed to do any good until I commenced using Ayer's Hair Vigor. Three bottles of this preparation restored my hair to a healthy condition, and it is now soft and pliant. My scalp is cured, and it is also free from dandruff.—Mrs. E. R. Foss, Milwaukee, Wis.

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PERFECT SAFETY, prompt action, and wonderful curative properties, easily place Ayer's Pills at the head of the list of popular remedies for Sick and Nervous Headaches, Constipation, and all ailments originating in a disordered Liver.

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The combination of which you know nothing of. No "wineglassful" of trash or poison to cure

DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION,

but just a little lozenge, compounded under the personal direction and supervision of that distinguished physician, DR. MARK R. WOODBURY, from his own private formula, used by him in his practice for 43 years, as a sure and speedy cure for DYSPEPSIA and INDIGESTION, as well as HEARTBURN, also for the removal of ACIDITY OF THE STOMACH. He calls them

DYSPEPSIA KILLERS,

a significant name. We call them

D. K.'s

a shorter but as emphatic one. By their timely use you will prevent Dyspepsia and Indigestion, and cure Sick Headache. If already suffering, use D. K.'s as you would any confection (they are agreeable to the taste), and you will be relieved. Price, 50 cents a box (trial size, 25 cents). Sent anywhere in the U. S. by mail on receipt of price, by DOOLITTLE & SMITH, 24 and 26 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.

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Choice breakfast cereal is better than oatmeal, and is a delicious article of food. Prepared from

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It commends itself as a healthy and life giving diet. It contains the gluten and

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of the berry, and is the food of all foods for all classes. Children thrive on it. It's a coarse white

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The only Reliable Remedy for

COUGHS COLDS CROUP and all diseases of the THROAT

Indorsed by Physicians. Used by thousands.

IT WILL CURE YOU.

NO OPIUM IN IT. Mothers, you can conquer that dreadful foe, CROUP, with it. Have it on hand and save the Child. Sold by Druggists. TRY IT

No. 746.

Report of the Condition

—OF—

The First National Bank of Woburn,

at Woburn, in the State of Massachusetts, at the close of business, May 13, 1887.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts,	$473,201 26
Overdrafts,	292 67
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	200,000 00
Due from approved reserve agents,	10,456 32
Real estate, furniture and fixtures,	28,250 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	563 06
Premiums paid,	33,500 00
Checks and other cash items,	3,218 95
Bills of other banks,	8,888 00
Fractional Paper Currency, nickels, and pennies	127 44
Specie,	8,909 75
Legal-tender notes,	2,417 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, (5 per cent of circulation)	9,000 00
Fund with U. S. Treasurer to retire circulation,	86,066 00
Total,	$864,890 45

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in,	$300,000 00
Surplus fund,	81,000 00
Undivided Profits,	10,496 68
National Bank Notes outstanding,	265,166 00
Dividends unpaid,	639 00
Individual deposits subject to check,	172,287 84
Demand certificates of deposit,	35,300 93
Total,	$864,890 45

STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS—COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, SS.

I, G. A. Day, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. A. DAY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May, 1887.

EDWARD F. JOHNSON,
Clerk of 4th District Court, Eastern Middlesex.

[SEAL.]

CORRECT—Attest:

E. D. HAYDEN,
JOHN JOHNSON,
E. N. BLAKE. } Directors.

NOTICE!

WOBURN, May 17, 1887.

We would hereby give notice that an Assembly of

Royal Society of Good Fellows

Is about to be established here in this place, and all those wishing to become Charter Members of this beneficial organization can do so by calling at **Dr. Kelley's Office** to pass the medical examination, any evening this week or the first of next week. Also, all those whose names are already on the list will please take notice and call on Dr. Kelley at the earliest possible moment for medical examination.

Per order of Supreme Deputies.

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PARTIAL PRICE LIST:

A beautiful Set of Gum Teeth:
Upper or lower, $7.50
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Satisfaction guaranteed.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, Creditors, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Mary E. Gilman, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to James Skinner of said Woburn:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

22-3 J. H. TYLER Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate given in trust under the will of Benjamin D. Osgood, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased:

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Arthur D. Osgood and Charles B. Osgood, two of the beneficiaries under said will have presented to said Court their petition praying that the trust under said will may be terminated and the said trust estate distributed among the beneficiaries free of the trust;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same. And said petitioners are ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of May, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven.

22-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of Daniel Lynch, late of Winchester, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Mary Lynch, Administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court her petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

21-1 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Sheriff's Sale.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,

MIDDLESEX, ss.

WOBURN, May 3, 1887.

Taken on execution, and will be sold at public auction, Saturday, June 11, A. D., 1887, at four o'clock in the afternoon, at my office, No. 194 Main street, in said Woburn, all the right, title and interest, liable to be taken on execution, that George P. Bartlett, of said Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, had on the second day of September, A. D., 1886 (being the time when the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following described parcel of real estate, to wit:—A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon standing, containing about 10,162 square feet, situated on Pleasant street, in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, bounded and described as follows, viz:—Southerly by Pleasant street, there measuring 63 feet; Westerly, by land of Abbie Mead and Mary C. Eager, there measuring about 147 feet; Northerly, on a private street, there measuring 63 feet; Easterly, on land formerly owned by J. B. Winn, there measuring 166 feet; being the same premises conveyed by Theodore Harrington, Charles E. Raymond, and Edwin B. Hale (Trustees) to said George P. Bartlett, by deed, dated March 17, 1885, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1697, Page 283, and by Alpha E. Thompson, by deed, dated March 20, 1885, recorded with said deeds, Book 1697, Page 285, subject to two mortgages, now held by Edward D. Hayden.

JOHN E. TIDD, Deputy Sheriff.

Winchester and Woburn Street RR.

Leave North Woburn at 5.53, 6.53, 7.50, 9.30, 11.10, A. M., 12.35, 1.55, 2.50, 4.23, 5.35, 6.43, 7.40, 8.40,** P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester at 6.18, 7.23, 8.20, 10.00, 11.40, A. M., 1.05, 2.25, 3.23, 4.10, 5.00, 6.08, 7.13, 8.10, 9.00, P. M.

Leave North Woburn SUNDAY at 9.00, 10.00*, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00 P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester SUNDAY at 9.25, 11.40, A. M., 1.25, 2.25, 3.25, 4.25, 5.25, 6.30, 7.30, 8.25, 9.25, P. M.

*Far as Woburn only. **Saturdays only.

Leave Winchester at 6.40*, 7.47, 8.45*, 10.45,* A. M., 12.20,* 1.30, 2.55, 3.43*, 4.35, 5.40, 6.35, 7.40, 8.30*, 9.20, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.23, 7.23, 8.20, 10.00, 11.40, A. M., 1.05, 2.00, 3.23, 5.08, 6.08, 7.13, 8.10 9.10,** 9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester Sunday at 10.00,* A. M., 12.20, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn, SUNDAY at 11.40, A. M., 12.40, 2.25, 3.25, 4.25, 5.25 6.30, 7.30, 8.25, 9.25, 10.25, P. M.

*Far as Woburn only. **Saturday only.

GILMAN F. JONES, Supt.

Woburn, May 21, 1887.

Another Mark-down in Millinery Goods!

Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets, 25 and 50 cents, worth 50 cents and $1.00. A few ready-trimmed Hats and Bonnets, new this season, $2.00 and $2.50. A large lot of Ladies' Hats at 25 cents. Other goods in proportion.

MRS. C. A. PIERCE,
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House of 13 rooms, No. 8 Johnson street, bath-room, furnace, and stable. Also for sale, few articles of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising Blackwalnut Chamber Set, Side-board, Roll-top Desk, Carpet, &c. Applp to

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In Tarrant's Seltzer you behold
A certain cure for young and old;
For Constipation will depart,
And Indigestion quickly start;
Sick Headache, too, will soon subside,
When Tarrant's Seltzer has been tried.

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The Original and Only Genuine.

Safe and always Reliable. Beware of worthless Imitations. Indispensable to LADIES. Ask your Druggist for "Chichester's English" and take no other, or inclose 4c. (stamps) to us for particulars in letter by return mail. NAME PAPER. Chichester Chemical Co., 2313 Madison Square, Philada., Pa.

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House and Store For Sale.

Cor. of Pleasant and North Warren street: house convenient for two families. Apply to MRS. B. A. STEARNS, on the premises.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

By license of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, dated April 27, 1887, the subscriber, administrator of the estate of Rosanna Doherty, late of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises hereafter described, on the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D., 1887, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on John street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises, on John street, and at lot No. 21 on a plan of house lots owned by R. B. Richardson and Hannah M. Parker; from thence the line runs easterly by said John street, forty-five (45) feet, to other land now, or formerly of said Richardson and Parker; thence northerly, by land last named, one hundred (100) feet, to land of E. N. Blake; thence westerly, by said Blake's land, forty-five (45) feet, to lot No. 21 on said plan; thence southerly, by said lot No. 21, one hundred (100) feet, to the point of beginning: Being lot No. 25, and part of lot No. 24, on said Richardson and Parker Plan, and the same premises conveyed by them to said Rosanna Doherty, by two deeds dated May 12, 1881, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1568, Page 35, and March 27, 1884, recorded with said Deeds, Books 1661, Page 428. The premises will be sold subject to the life tenancy of George Doherty. Terms Cash.

GEORGE DOHERTY, Administrator.

Woburn, May 5, 1887.

Administratrix Sale of Real Estate.

By license of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, dated April 27, 1887, the subscriber, administratrix of the estate of Kiernan J. Kenney, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises hereafter described, on the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D., 1887, at four o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the northerly side of Kilby street, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southerly corner of the premises on said Kilby street, at a stake at land of one Knowlton; from thence the line runs northwesterly by land of said Knowlton and by lands of Coughlan and Cummings, about thirty seven rods and seven links, to a stake; thence a little more northerly, by other lands of said Kenney, about seven rods and six links, to another stake; thence northeasterly, by land of Thomas Canfield, about six rods and fifteen links, to another stake; thence southeasterly, by lands of Eaton and Kendall, about forty-four rods and nine links, to a stake at said Kilby street; thence southwesterly, on and by said Kilby street, about ten rods and six links to the point of beginning: Being the same premises described in two deeds to said Kiernan J. Kenney, one from Eliza W. Spaulding, dated July 21, 1874, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1328, Page 546; and the other from John B. Tay, Jr., dated July 17, 1868, and recorded with said Deeds, Book 1046, Page 494. Said premises will be sold subject to the right of dower therein of Mary E. Kenney.

Terms Cash.

MARY E. KENNEY, Administratrix.

Woburn, May 5, 1887.

By HOLBROOK & FOX, Auctioneers,
Office, No. 12 Post Office Square, Boston.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by Robert Poole Searle of Boston, County of Suffolk, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to The Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank, a corporation duly established by law at Arlington, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth aforesaid, dated August 1, A.D. 1884, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib. 1675, Fol. 581, and for breach of the condition of said mortgage, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Wednesday, June 1, 1887, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described as follows, namely:—"A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in the easterly part of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, being lot numbered twenty-six (26) on a plan of land surveyed by Edward Buckman for Daniel Ayer, called the 'Emerson Land,' recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, in Book of Plans No. 5, Page 23, to which reference is made for a full description of the same;" being the same premises conveyed to said Searle by said Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank by deed of even date with said mortgage.

$100 to be paid at sale. Other terms at sale.

THE ARLINGTON FIVE CENTS SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee.

By ABEL R. PROCTOR, Treasurer.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate in North Woburn.

By license of the Probate Court for the County of Middlesex, the subscriber, administrator of the estate of Sarah S. Marston, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday the twenty-first day of May, A. D., 1887, at five o'clock in the afternoon, the house and lot of land situate on the northerly side of Webster street, in that part of Woburn known as North Woburn, belonging to the estate of said Sarah S. Marston, and bounded westerly by land of James O. Cummings, there measuring about one hundred and fifty-two feet; northerly by land now, or formerly of Joseph Pierce, there measuring about sixty-nine feet; easterly by land of one Rooney, and land of William Poole, there measuring about one hundred fifty-eight and six-tenths feet; southerly by said Webster street, there measuring about sixty-nine feet. Said lot contains about forty square rods, and is the same premises described in a deed from Adoniram J. Watson and others to said Sarah S. Marston, dated December 19, 1864, and recorded in Middlesex South District Registry, Book 948, Page 504.

$100 will be required of the purchaser at time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.

EDWARD F. JOHNSON.

May 4, 1887.

By W. H. SMITH & CO., No. 7 Exchange Place, Boston. Auctioneers and Real Estate Agents.

Will positively be sold at public auction, on the premises, THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1887, at 4 o'clock, P. M., the dwelling-house containing 8 large rooms and unfinished attics, and 14,000 feet of fine garden land, situated on Nashua street, near the railroad bridge and Montvale Avenue, Montvale, near the depot, schools, &c. Terms very easy. $100 to be paid at sale.

Also, at North Winchester on Baldwin street, near Cross street, and near depot, a fine large cottage house with 8 rooms and about 8,000 land, shade trees, &c., will be sold same day at 5 o'clock P. M., $100 to be paid at sale; the terms will be a few hundred dollars down, balance on mortgage. The above will be a splendid chance for a working man to secure a good homestead at a reasonable price on easy terms.

By order of THE WOBURN FIVE CENTS SAVINGS BANK.

Woburn, May 5, 1887.

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No. 7 Montvale Ave., Woburn, Mass.

All kinds of work done promptly, neatly, and at fair prices.

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late of His Majesty's —th Regiment of Foot, is over, and the prisoner has been found guilty and sentenced to death. A petition, signed by nearly every one in the county—high and low—had been sent up to His Majesty in London; but to no purpose. Too many gentlemen of late had taken to the road, and an example was needed. There was no help for it. Everything that could be done had been done, and there was nothing more to do now but to wait for the end. The only cheerful person concerned, oddly enough, was the Major himself. "A man can die but once," said he. "But I should liked to have had one more gallop on my dear Cicely before I came to an end. However, it can't be helped! I am quite innocent of it all, that's one consolation, and I think you may take my word for it that George Brabazon will 'die game.'"

The execution was fixed to take place on the Monday following the trial, on a gallows erected on Hangman's Heath, close to the scene of the outrage. The preceding Sunday was a sad one, you may depend, to the inhabitants of Plumperton. Sermons were preached alluding to the sad event in all the churches, and people spoke with bated breath of the tragedy that was to be enacted on the morrow.

The tide was to turn, though, in a most unexpected manner. At nine o'clock at night, when the streets were still full of loiterers, a horseman came clattering through the town, whose disordered attire and the jaded appearance of his steed denoted that he had come from a distance. Pulling up at the first group of loiterers he came to, he eagerly inquired the nearest way to the jail.

"I've a pardon for Major Brabazon, who was left for execution on the morrow, in my pocket," said he, "and I must give it into the Governor's hands at once."

Fifty willing guides were found at once to show the messenger the way to the prison. Meanwhile the good news spread like wildfire. The town went mad with delight. The women shed tears with joy, the men shouted until they were hoarse. A mob that soon mustered some thousands rushed off to the jail, and cheered until the Governor of the prison made his appearance and addressed the crowd.

It was all true, he said. The Major was an innocent man. A prisoner lying in Newgate under sentence of death had confessed that he was the stranger who dined with the Major at the Whitesheaf on the night of the robbery; that with the aid of Cross-eyed Dick, he had abstracted the Major's mare for the occasion (a portion of the mob rushed off at this point in search of Cross-eyed Dick, on whom they swore vengeance) had ridden forth, robbed the mail, restored the mare to her stable, taken his departure on his own horse before the Major was up.

"That's the story, boys," said the Governor. "Now go away, and come here to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock and fetch your friend Major George away. Come in your thousands, if you like," he added, laughing.

"Three cheers for the Major. Ah, three times three! And three for the Governor."

The mob cheered them both, and the mare and the Widow Thompson, until they were hoarse—also thirsty. Then they went away.

Bells pealing, people shouting, every body in his best clothes, and all assembled in front of Plumperton jail to greet the Major on his return from captivity. A little space is kept clear close to the prison gates, in which space a carriage and four is drawn up containing the Widow Thomson and her friend, Mrs. Matchum, both in their smartest attire and both in tears. Behind the carriage held by the Major's groom, stands Cicely, the innocent cause of all the mischief, submitting patiently to the attentions of the mob.

But hark! the different clocks of the town chime eleven.

A terrific roaring goes forth from the multitude as the huge prison gates slowly open at the last stroke of the hour.

A still more terrific roaring goes forth as the Major, apparently as fresh and well as ever, appears, leaning on the Governor's arm. But just imagine what a terrific noise their was when the mare Cicely was seen to break from the attendant at the first sound of her old master's voice, and galloping up to where he stood, rub her soft muzzle against his face and shoulders in the most loving manner possible, saying, as plain as a mare could speak—"My dear, dear, master, I am so pleased to see you!"

One touch of nature makes the whole world kin. The Major, though hitherto he had borne up like a man, could stand it no longer. This touching behavior on Cicely's part was too much for him, and, fairly breaking down, he clasped his favorite round the neck and wept aloud. Even the stern Governor was obliged to turn his head away. The Major, once more himself again, mounted Cicely, who arched her neck and whinnied with delight as he did so, and taking his place beside the carriage containing his fiance, a move was made for home. How long they took getting there it is impossible to say, but this is certain—by the time they did get there Major George's hands were all but wrung off from the shaking they underwent en route, and as for Cicely, she scarcely had a hair on her tail left, owing to the anxiety of the good people to possess a memento of this never-to-be-forgotten day. Not long after the Major and the Widow Thompson were married, on which occasion the good folk of Plumperton made another day of it, you may depend.

The Major and his wife lived to a green old age; so did Cicely; but long after they had gone over to the majority would the story be told of a winter's night by the fireside gossips of Major Brabazon and his White-faced Mare.

The Mystery Solved.

It has always been understood that Consumption was incurable, but it has recently been discovered that Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs is giving more relief than any known remedy. It is guaranteed to relieve and cure Asthma, Bronchitis and Coughs. Call on Charles H. Buss, Druggist, Woburn and get a trial bottle free of cost. Large size 50 cents and $1.

An English surgeon says that people who use rocking chairs the most get deaf the soonest. Rocking also hurts the eyes and makes people near-sighted.

Ivan Tourgueneff's Mother.

One of the most salient traits of Madame Tourgueneff's character was, as has been hinted at before, never to tolerate the slightest appearance of independence in deed or thought among those with whom she came in contact. She was in the habit of setting traps for the members of her household, in order either to reassure herself of their perfection, or with the malicious desire to humiliate individuals who might seem to her too well satisfied with conditions that had been for a time bearable. When the mistress was in this humor, it was evident in her discourse, in her gestures, and in the dangerous fire in her eyes. The servants then whispered among themselves, "Madam cherche chicane" (Madam is seeking a quarrel), and lay low.

On a certain occasion her majordomo, Simeon Lobolef, to his everlasting misfortune, fell into the guet-a-pens. He was a high-strung fellow, very handsome, at the time about thirty years old, well educated and possessed of much self-esteem. This is the way it happened:

Simeon's customary position was behind Mme. Tourgueneff's chair at the table. She always had before her a small carafe of water, which was called "l'eau de madame."

When Madame Tourgueneff said "Water," it was his duty to pour her some from the carafe. Laterly, when he performed the function, she was in the habit of declaring the water too warm, or dirty, or that it smelled badly. Simeon used to take the carafe go out and return with other water, and madame would drink it then without complaint. Several days were passed thus. Finally she resolved to give her victim the finishing blow. At dinner, after having carried the water to her lips, she pushed the glass from her, and, turning to the majordom, said:

"What is this?"

Simeon made no answer.

"What is this, I ask you?"

Simeon remained silent.

"Shall I never have good water?" she cried, and the full glass flew in the face of the majordomo.

He turned pale, took the carafe from the table and left the hall. He returned some minutes after and poured water into another glass.

"There, this is water," said Madame Tourgueneff, and drank a half glassful.

Then Simeon his face ghastly pale, his lips trembling, stepped forward a few paces, placed himself before the icones or images of the tutelary saints of the family, and making the sign of the cross, said:

"I swear before this holy image that I have not changed the water. That which madame has just drunk is the same as the other."

After having spoken these words he turned to the mistress of the house and looked her in the eyes.

For a few moments a terrible silence reigned in the hall. Suddenly Madame Tourgueneff arose with a bound, and, pointing to the door, cried to Simeon:

"Leave the room!"

Then she retired without finishing her repast and shut herself up the entire day in her chamber.

The next day the unfortunate Simeon might be seen with a cross on his back and a broom in his hand, sweeping the courtyard, a pitiable object. The elegant dress coat was exchanged for a dingy blouse of gray cloth. He filled his degrading post during four years, at the expiration of which time the "master of moumon," a gigantic deaf mute, took his place.

Those conversant with the novels of Ivan Tourgueneff will recall this character and the tragic story of his dog.

Good Results in Every Case.

D. A. Bradford, wholesale paper dealer o Chattanooga, Tenn., writes, that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs: had tried many remedies without benefit. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, did so and was entirely cured by use of a few bottles. Since which time he has used it in his family for all Coughs and Colds with best results. This is the experience of thousands whose lives have been saved by this Wonderful Discovery.

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A tramp recently arrested in Jackson, Mich., for disorderly conduct, was found to have a capacious wallet in his inside pocket, stuffed full of two cent postage stamps. He confessed that he had been making a tour of the State begging a stamp from every person he met, on the plea of wishing to send a letter to his wife. When a stamp was not forthcoming he usually got two coppers or a nickel to buy one with, and was able to live in comfort on his revenue.

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The unprecedented success and merit of Ely's Cream Balm—a real cure for catarrh, hay fever and cold in the head—has induced many adventurers to place catarrh medicines bearing some resemblance in appearance, style or name upon the market, in order to trade upon the reputation of Ely's Cream Balm. Don't be deceived. Buy only Ely's Cream Balm. Many in your immediate locality will testify in highest commendation of it. A particle is applied into each nostril; no pain; agreeable to use. Price 50 cents.

The flower show in San Francisco has been delighting visitors. Among the flowers and plants exhibited was a rare collection of rhododendrons. Branches of orange, lemon, filbert nuts, walnuts and pomegranates showed a newly-formed fruit as well as flowers. Poppies, nasturtiums, petunias and many flowers which would seem unseasonable here were displayed in profusion.

Don't Get Caught

This spring with your blood full of impurities, your digestion impaired, your appetite poor, kidneys and liver torpid, and whole system liable to be prostrated by disease—but get yourself into good condition, and ready for the changing and warmer weather, by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. It stands unequalled for purifying the blood, giving an appetite, and for general spring medicine.

Although the work of emancipation has been going on in Brazil since 1871, it appears that there are still about 1,330,000 slaves in that country. In the past twelve years about 15,000 persons have been freed annually. This rate is so slow that the ect of manumission has been changed so that it is expected that slavery will disappear in about thirteen years.

Our Dumb Friends.

HUMANE SOCIETIES NEEDED IN SMALL TOWNS.

Our cities are doing noble work with their Humane Societies, Missions, etc., but the enterprise will not be complete till every village is under the faithful supervision of humane guardians. If there can be no local society to prevent cruelty to helpless creatures, some neighboring city should frequently send inspectors to "spy out the land." We do not know whether or not there are any attempts of this kind, but we do know that we spent last summer in daily sight of a man and woman who "worked" their little farm with the help of a horse so weak and bony that it was a painful sight. The poor creature wandered at night into the hospitable barns of some of the neighbors, and in this way received a little food, but the heartless couple who exacted its services all the day, calmly acknowledged that "the old horse was most dead and wasn't worth feeding, and after harvest it was to be killed or turned out." The neighbors expostulated, but "had no right to interfere," and we soon discovered a similar case within five miles of the first, both of them only twenty miles from a city "noted for its humane societies and great charity."

Another distressing sight, is the suffering of dogs and even larger animals for the want of water during the dry season. The city streets sometimes afford a little water from hydrants, etc., but the villages seldom make any real provision for the thirsty creatures that have no hands with which to use the town pump and so when the little brooks are dry the poor dumb animals go about smelling the dusty roads in a vain search for water. Some one should be expected to see that the trough of the town pump is kept filled with water, and housekeepers should arrange some "gipsy kettle," or something of the kind to hold water in some side yard where homeless cats and dogs could find free access. Such a kettle could not hurt the looks of the yard, and would be an act of mercy if kept filled with pure water.—*Humane Journal.*

A POLITE DOG.

Some of our kind friends, dear children, have sent us stories about the wonderful doings of their pets, have told us of the devotion of the dog and the horse, and have shown us how much we owe to the dumb animals. The wisest man said, "Go to the ant thou sluggard," so we see we can learn lessons of industry from the ant. The spider teaches us perseverance, but we are sure you never before heard of a lesson in politeness taught by a dog.

One evening, during a visit "over the Lake," we wandered through the beautiful, sweet-scented woods back of the village of Ocean Springs to Old Fort Bayou and had seated ourselves to rest on a fallen tree. While there we were startled by the sudden appearance of a large white and yellow dog, who approached whining and holding up his fore paw. We examined his foot and could find no thorns or cuts, but still the dog whined and held up his foot. A thought struck us; he wanted to shake hands perhaps! So it proved, for, after a hearty hand shake he ran off. This was the beginning of a very pleasant friendship.—*N. O. Picayune.*

A Remarkable Good Man

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Fuel of the Future.

The house of the near future, the *Boston Journal of Commerce* thinks, will have no fireplace, steam pipes, chimneys, or flues. Wood, coal, oil, and other forms of fuel are about to disappear altogether in places having factories. Gas has become so cheap that already it is supplanting fuels. A single jet fairly heats a small room in cold weather. A New York artist has produced a simple design for heating entirely by gas at a mere nominal expense. It is a well-known fact that gas throws off no smoke, soot, or dirt. The artist filled a brazier with chunks of colored glass, and placed several jets beneath. The glass soon became heated enough to thoroughly warm a room 10x30 feet in size. This design does away with the necessity for chimneys since there is no smoke; the ventilation can be had at the window. The heat may be raised or lowered by simply regulating the flow of gas. The colored glass gives all the appearance of fire; there are black pieces to represent coal, red chunks for flames, yellowish white glass for white heat, blue flames, hues for all remaining colors of the spectrum. Invention already is displacing the present fuels for furnaces and cooking ranges, and glass doing away with delay and such disagreeable objects as ashes, kindling wood, etc.

At San Francisco, a few days ago, an officer took an elderly couple to the hospital for treatment, the woman suffering from convulsions and the man in a low condition. He found the couple in bed, and scattered about the room were 16 empty whisky bottles. The woman stated at the hospital that she had partaken of no food for two weeks, subsisting solely on whisky. The only reason she could ascribe for their actions was that it was "just for devilment."

Now that the architects and plumbers have succeeded in eradicating many of the evils of olden times, the health scientists have taken up the subjects of wearing apparel and house-furnishing reform. You can find in the stock of B. A. Atkinson & Co. all the latest approved sanitary devices furniture or house-furnishing articles at the lowest prices.

It is said that the younger female class of Chinese in San Francisco are adopting American habits, costumes and religions. The Chinese maiden of the period bangs her hair, wears belts and boots, and compromises the costume of her Celestial congeners in every way possible except by discarding it outright. The change has been brought about by the association of young girls with American children of their own sex in Sunday and week-day schools.

General Grant Refused Wine.

When traveling in India he was surrounded with social customs, to disregard which required the strongest will and the firmest purpose. Not a few foreign residents in the East are hard drinkers. There were not hours enough in the day for Grant to accept the invitations received. To be courteous, he not infrequently accepted invitations to half a dozen tiffins on the same day, at each one of which he would remain a few moments, until the last one had been reached. At all these gatherings wine and liquors were freely used. He became so thoroughly disgusted with the custom that, on his return to his hotel, he said to his wife: "Julia, I do not intend to take another glass of wine to please anybody." That was in 1878, and from that time forward to Mount McGregor, his temperance habits were above suspicion.

From Calcutta he went to Burmah. The reception committee furnished large baskets of champagne and liquors. These were subject to Grant's orders. To the disappointment and disgust of the committee, the baskets were not opened. Surprise was expressed; but Grant simply said: "Gentlemen, I do not wish anything to drink," and the baskets were returned unopened to Calcutta. I received accounts of this incident from Gen. Litchfield, late Consul-General to India, and from Mrs. Grant.

After Grant reached California his old friends were the witnesses of this new proof of his personal decision. While in Mexico his enthusiastic admirers invited him to what is called "a wine dinner." Bishop Harris was present, and he informed me that Gen. Grant deliberately turned his glasses upside down—*The Rev. Dr. John P. Newman in the American Magazine.*

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and By leg is now sound and well." Electric mitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by Wm. W. Hill.

Literary Notices.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for June is on our table, fresh and bright as the first month of summer itself. The steel-engravings, handsome colored fashion-plate, and numerous wood-cuts are even above their usual average of excellence, and, regarded from a literary point of view, this number, both in the matter of tales and poetry, is more than ordinarily rich and varied. The illustrated story, Dick Lacey's Choice, is charmingly told, and Mrs. Sherwood's interesting serial, The Professor's Daughter, closes in a dramatic and satisfactory manner. A new volume begins with the July number, affording a good opportunity to subscribe or to form clubs. Terms: two dollars a year, with large reductions to clubs. A specimen copy will be sent free to anyone desiring to get up a club. Address PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

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A man of Richville, Mich., is liable to loose his memory at any time. More than once he has passed whole nights within hailing distance of his own house, fearing to move, as he was totally unable to recall the direction he should go, or even how his house looked or was situated with regard to the surrounding country.

A Baltimore Police Officer, 30 years on the force, Mr. Henry M. Durkee, says: "I suffered with poison oak for more than a year. I tried St. Jacobs Oil; after the second application all the sores dried up up and I was cured. I think it invaluable."

A largely attended temperance meeting was held in Cairo, Egypt, March 12. Among the speakers for the evening was the Hon. Frederick Douglass, who gave a masterly address strongly advocating total abstinence.

There is no danger to human life more to be dreaded than that which arises from vitiated blood. Dyspepsia, rheumatism, headache, and general debility, all result from it, and are cured by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Take it this month. Six bottles, $5.

It is said that a shop on any of the main thoroughfares of London can afford to cheat every customer, because the crowd of strangers passing the door will continue to furnish new victims year after year.

Mr. John Gutmon, Sherman, Ky., writes: "I have used St. Jacobs Oil for ten years. It always cured the toothache in about ten minutes." Sold by Druggists and Dealers.

An old lady from up river, says the *Bangor Commercial*, on alighting from the cars, turned and with an inquiring look at the locomotive said, "Well, I do declare. That is the first time I ever sailed in the cars."

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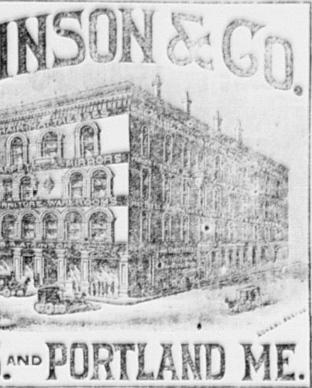
A young Brooklyn boy has been recently sentenced six months to the Penitentiary for having thrown a cat at his mother. Yet English law is sometimes considered severe.

J. C. DAVIS' Old Soap is the purest.

The Iowa *Register* says: "There's a whole temperance sermon in the reply of a butcher who was asked for a dollar toward paying a temperance lecturer: 'There's your dollar,' said he. 'I've sold more meat in one day since this town went no license than I used to in a week when we had saloons.'"

A judge at Decatur, Ill., fined his own son $2 for being drunk and $5 for an assault.



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Like all stimulants, tobacco is a tax upon the nervous system which will sooner or later leave its mark in reduced and weakened nerve power. It is so essentially sensuous in its effects and influence, that it can but be a hindrance to all spiritual and moral life. It impairs the memory, and, in one who is often trying to break away from the pernicious habit, but as often yielding to its influence, it weakens the will. But I hardly intend to express an opinion as to the "advantages or disadvantages" of its use for scarcely any two lovers of tobacco would think alike in regard to that. Now, to one who really desires to break away from the habit, and cannot muster sufficient resolution to conquer it at once I would suggest that he give it a "running fight," and if he can only hold out long enough, he will conquer in the end.

A substitute can be used in the shape of pungent or acrid herbs and roots, like cassia buds, cloves, or sweet flag. As something to abate the desire for the weed, I have found very sour fruits, such as plums, grapes and lemons, quite effectual; be particular to eat nothing that will *create* the desire, and above all things, be *temperate* in eating. There is no time when it is so hard to resist the desire to *smoke*, as immediately after a *hearty* dinner. Avoid rich pastry at the close of a meal; if it must be eaten, let plainer food be taken last, and for the last mouthful take something *sour* or strong with pepper.

Owing to the great catch of herring in Taunton River prices have been so small that they hardly paid for salting and sticking. Now the fish are barreled as soon as caught and shipped to Boston and other places to mackerel fishermen, who used them for bait instead of menhaden, which are not yet in season.

The name "Cradle of Liberty," as applied to Faneuil Hall, was used by James Otis in his dedicatory speech, 1764, after the building had been reconstructed, and subsequent associations raised this term to the dignity of prophecy.

George H. Corliss, the great engine builder, was at 35 proprietor of a general store in a town in New York. His first attempt at invention—a machine for sewing shoes—was made at that time, but was not a success.

The youngest preacher in the world is I. E. Bill, Baptist, only twelve years of age, who recently preached a sermon at St. Martins, New Brunswick, to a large congregation. His father is a minister.

In the New York sub-treasury 220,000 silver dollars through the hands of clerks in one day for redemption.

According to Roman Catholic publications there are 6,832,954 adherents of that faith in the United States.

According to a recently published book parstey was the only vegetable eaten in the time of Queen Elizabeth.

The Bay State Agricultural Society will not hold a fair this year.

There are thirty-seven bogus butter factories in this country.

In 1886 taxes were paid on 3,510,898,588 cigars in the United States.

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LEPROSY

and consequently incurable. It is impossible to describe her sufferings. Her body from the crown of her head to the soles of her feet was a mass of decay, masses of flesh rotting off and leaving great cavities. Her fingers festered and three or four nails dropped off at one time. Her limbs contracted by the fearful ulceration, and for several years she did not leave her bed. Her weight was reduced from 125 to 60 lbs. Perhaps some faint idea of her condition can be gleaned from the fact that three pounds of Cosmoline or ointment were used per week in dressing her sores. Finally the physicians acknowledged their defeat by this Black Wolf, and commended the sufferer to her all-wise Creator.

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three bottles of this medicine, have been entirely cured. My sight has been restored, and there is no sign of inflammation, sore, or ulcer in my eye.—Kendal T. Bowen, Sugar Tree Ridge, Ohio.

My daughter, ten years old, was afflicted with Scrofulous Sore Eyes. During the last two years she never saw light of any kind. Physicians of the highest standing exerted their skill, but with no permanent success. On the recommendation of a friend I purchased a bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which my daughter commenced taking. Before she had used the third bottle her sight was restored, and she can now look steadily at a brilliant light without pain. Her cure is complete.—W. E. Sutherland, Evangelist, Shelby City, Ky.

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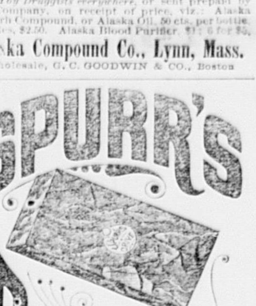

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Anywhere else she would have been called Maud, but Smoketon people were too busy making money to pay proper attention diphthongs, so by them she was simply called "Mod."

Mod's surname was Bangs, the vowel of which was unduly prolonged by the Smoketonians, as her diphthong was unjustly shortened. There was nothing visibly heroic about Mod. She was the eldest daughter of a Smoketon operative, teaching in one of the Smoketon public schools. She was small and slender, awkward in person and movements, with a protruding forehead, lifeless looking sandy hair, and small, dull, unexpressive eyes.

Stephen Dare was not a bad fellow, especially in his own opinion. He was a handsome young giant, with a frank, merry face, usually obscured by a cloud of soot; for Stephen, though only twenty-five years old, was a "boss" at Brown's mill, the largest nail mill in Smoketon. He was well off, too—very wealthy for a place whose richest men only counted by tens of thousands; so it is not wonderful perhaps, that he was much petted and spoiled by the Smoketon lasses.

The Eleventh Ward schoolhouse was on Stephen's direct way home from work, and as Mod always remained there until 6 o'clock to study, Stephen had got in the habit of calling on her; and thence, one September afternoon they were walking home together, when they first met Myra Tracy.

"By jinks! ain't she a daisy?" exclaimed Stephen, recovering his breath and his Smoketon vernacular when the vision was gone. "She's awfully swell, but I'll bet you've got as much money, every time. Look here, Mod, don't tell anybody, but I wouldn't mind marrying that girl."

"Whether she'd have you or not, I suppose!"

"Have me! She'd be lucky to get me—poor as a church mouse. She'd jump at me, I know?"

Stephen was more in earnest than Mod supposed.

It was a difficult matter to get an introduction to Miss Tracey, and when he asked permission to call, the girl had not, as she said afterward, sufficient presence of mind to refuse. Myra, indeed, was profoundly amused at herself and scarcely less so at Stephen. The handsome, illiterate young giant was a new type to the highbred, "cultured" Philadelphian; and, though she considered flirting a very unladylike proceeding, her esthetic interest was sufficiently visible to afford Stephen all the encouragement he needed. When Stephen, at last, asked Myra to be his wife, and was rejected with a haughty surprise which she could not quite conceal, it was Mod who was the least astonished. Stephen believed he understood the whole matter perfectly, for it was, in fact, the presence of Champ Preston in Smoketon which had hurried him on to a declaration.

"A long, lazy, tow-headed fool," was his terse description of the all-conquering Champ, whose soft voice, handsome face, languid elegance of manner, not to speak of his attractions in the way of stocks, bonds and landed property, had for several seasons made him the lion of Eastern society. He had been abroad at the time of Mr. Tracy's death.

Immediately upon his return he followed Myra to Smoketon, where, he coolly informed her, it was his intention to bivouac with the aboriginee until she was ready to be married and return with him to civilization.

Myra readily allowed herself to be persuaded. Smoketon was more distasteful to her than ever since Stephen had taken his dismissal in such vehemently bad part.

The wedding day arrived at last—a warm February morning, pouring with rain. Indeed it had rained for two days over all the surrounding country. The river was unusually high, and the Smoketon Trumpet had already warned its readers to expect a flood.

Mod had reason to fear that Stephen intended to do some injury to his successful rival. She knew he had bought a revolver, and she saw him going to the railway station on the morning of the wedding as if to lie in wait for the bridal party. She followed him and found him there.

"Stephen," she said, holding his eyes with hers, "they will not leave to-night. The river is rising; all Smoketon is under water, and the people are drowning. Come with me and save them. Come, Stephen," she added solemnly, as he hesitated, gazing in surprise at her transformed countenance, "prove yourself a man worth loving. Let that be your revenge."

"Blamed if I don't!" said Stephen Dare.

He walked forward a step, drew his hand from his breast, and with a whirl of his wrist sent something bright, gleaming and sparkling into the fast approaching water. Then, taking Mod by the arm, he hurried her away to her home, where he put her within the door, saying, briefly:—

"Now, you're safe, Mod; stay there," and then he hastened on.

Stephen Dare was the best oarsman in Smoketon, but he found himself surpassed that day, not only in skill but in cool ready daring, for Champ Preston had been the crack oar of his college, and had pulled stroke in many a boat race, and now, with his bride's kisses warm on his lips he felt strong with the strength of ten.

Apart at times, at other times together, the rivals toiled, bringing many a boat load of half drowned wretches to safety and such comfort as was attainable, while the rain still fell and the water rose steadily higher. As the darkness increased it grew more difficult to avoid the logs, beams and wrecks of all description which the terrible river swept downward with resistless force.

One of these crushed at last into Champ Preston's boat and crushed in its side as though it had been an egg-shell. In half a moment it had filled and sunk, and the rowers were struggling in the black, raging current. Stephen's boat was close at hand and rushed at once to the rescue.

Myra and Mod in the meantime, had not been idle. There was much to be done for those taken out of the water, and as the two worked together they learned, if not to like, at least to respect each other. Every room in Mrs. Tracy's house had been thrown open to the sufferers; mattresses, beds, hastily improvised couches of all descriptions, covered the floors, and there did not seem to be room for even one more, when suddenly Stephen stood before them, saying anxiously:

"Now, girls, don't either of you fly off the handle. There's no charming young widow in this party, for he's alive and here."

Myra Preston saw the white, unconscious face of the form which four men were bringing carefully in and sprang toward it with a low cry.

"Did you save him, Steve? Oh, Steve, did you really?" cried Mod.

Stephen turned and looked for a moment into Mod's face, then, opening his arms drew her to his breast, where, dripping wet as he was, she laid her cheek in rapturous content.

"I won't be left by every girl in town," said Stephen. "I'll marry you, Mod. You kept me from making a fool of myself this morning, and I'll make you a good husband."

At Terre Haute, Champaign County, Ohio, Mr. Charles F. Powell was postmaster, and he writes: "I have a fine lot of Polish chickens. I gave them St. Jacobs Oil on a pill of bread for the croup. It cured them. The next morning I could not tell which of the chickens had been sick."

In India there are four female missionaries to every 1,000,000 of women.

SPRING STYLES
—AT—
Munroe's Clothing Store
WE ARE OFFERING A LARGE AND FINE LINE OF
Spring Overcoats, Suits and Pants
OF THE BEST MATERIAL AND MAKE.
Our new styles of SPRING HATS for young men are the best we have ever shown. In GENT'S FURNISHINGS we are constantly adding the novelties, and have to show you a very extensive assortment. All goods at the lowest prices.
C. M. MUNROE,
Post Office Block, - - - Woburn.
Store closed Wednesday and Friday evenings at 6 o'clock.

Our Dumb Friends.

MONKEYS AT WORSHIP.

A few days ago when Rev. Dr. Chamberlain, brother of Secretary Chamberlain, of the Board of Agriculture, was visiting in this city, he told many interesting anecdotes of his missionary life in India. Among them is the following:

Dr. Chamberlain and Mr. Scudder were on a tour of a certain portion of India, preaching at the villages through which they passed. They would attract the attention of the natives by singing a hymn, and then would talk to them generally using some simple theme from the Scriptures. One day when they had collected the people about them. In the rear was a sacred grove, the branches of the trees hanging down over the huts that stood in the background. The Scripture lesson had been finished, the hymn sung, and Mr. Scudder was devoutly praying, when suddenly the boughs of the grove began to rustle and a troop of monkeys appeared. No one saw them except Dr. Chamberlain. Old monkeys and young, gray whiskered and bald-headed, mothers with their baby monklings, all descended and seated themselves in a semicircle. All paid the strictest attention to the prayer. Should any mischievous youngster begin his monkeyshines, one of the dignified old men monkeys would twist his ear until the little one would cease his pranks; and if one of the babies began to cry, a few maternal pats quieted him.

Dr. Chamberlain could scarcely restrain himself at the comical sight, and it was a great relief to him when the assembly broke up. As the people arose to go, so did the monkeys, and they silently disappeared in the branches, evidently much impressed with the service.—*Ohio State Journal.*

A skye terrier owned by a gentleman of Baltimore, Maryland, proved one day, recently, that it could feel ashamed of a dishonest act. The master had always treated the terrier well,—in fact it had never been punished. On the day in question, the gentleman was at his table. The little Skye saw a cutlet near the edge of the board, and it yielded to the temptation to steal the meat. The cutlet was slyly seized and taken under the sofa. The gentleman pretended not to see the act of theft. But the conscience of the little terrier soon got the better of its hunger. It brought the cutlet back, laid it at the feet of its master, hung its head in shame, and slunk away.

The Friend of the Editor.

Some supposed friends of a newspaper have peculiar ideas as to what kind of items a paper requires. Not long since a gentleman came into the sanctum of a Texas paper and said to the editor:

"Look here, you miss a heap of live items. I'm on the street all day. I'll come up every once in a while and post you."

"All right, fetch in your items, but remember we want news."

Next day he came up, beaming all over. "I've got a live item for you. You know that infernal, bow-legged gorilla of a brother-in-law of mine, who was in business here with me?"

"I believe I remember such a person," said the editor wearily.

"Well, I've just got news from Nebraska, where he is living, that he is going to run for the Legislature. Now just give him a blast. Lift him out of his boots. Don't spare him on my account."

The editor shook his head and the newsgatherer retired.

Next day he came up again. "My little item was crowded out. At least I didn't see it in the paper. I brought you some more news," and he handed in an item about a cat, as follows:

"A remarkable animal.—The family cat of our worthy and distinguished fellow-townsman, Smith, who keeps the boss grocery store of Ward No. 13 (beer always on tap) yesterday became the mother of five singularly marked kittens. This is not the first time this unheard of event has taken place. We understand Mr. Smith is being favorably spoken of as a candidate for Alderman."

The editor groans in his spirit as he lights a cigar with the effort. It is not long before he hears that Smith is going around saying that he has made the paper what it is, but it is not independent enough to suit the public.

Many readers will say that this sketch is overdrawn, but thousands of editors all over the country will lift up their right hands to testify that they are personally acquainted with the guilty party.—*Texas Siftings.*

Good housekeepers prefer J. C. Davis' Old Soap because it saves labor and clothes. Garments washed with this soap last twice as long as when washed with any other.

Unlucky 13.

"Yes," said Mrs. Smith, "I believe that thirteen is an unlucky number, and to show you that this is no superstition but belief based upon observation, I will give a case in point. The young ladies of this neighborhood, to the number of thirteen, have formed a cooking class. They hold their sessions at the residences of their parents; at my house this week, Mrs. Robinson's house next week, Mrs. Brown's the week after, and so on. Well, you know they do their cooking at the houses at which they meet, and to the family of that house the results of their culinary efforts are presented. Now here is the curious fact that I have observed: The family in whose house the cooking is done are all horribly sick the next day, the members frequently needing medical attendance. To what can this deathly sickness be ascribed? To the fact that the club is composed of thirteen members. Was ever there a more notable instance of the unluckiness of the number thirteen?"

The diving bell was first used on the coast of Mull 200 years ago, in looking for the wrecks of the Spanish Armada. Improvements were made by Stanley, who was the first man to reach sea bottom. Smeaton, builder of the Eddystone lighthouse, first applied the condensing pump for forcing air down to the diver. The Royal George, an English man-of-war, which sank off Plymouth in 1782, was discovered by a diver in 1817. The first, and so far as we know the only lady to go down in a diving bell was the wife of Capt. Morris, of Plymouth, who made a descent a few years ago.

Saved His Life.
Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave, Ky., says he was, for many years, badly afflicted with Phthisic, also Diabetes; the pains were almost unendurable and would sometimes almost throw him into convulsions. He tried Electric Bitters and got relief from first bottle and after taking six bottles, was entirely cured, and had gained in flesh eighteen pounds. Says he positively believes he would have died, had it not been for the relief afforded by Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by W. W. Hill.

The river Nile is formed by the junction of the Blue Nile and the White Nile at Khartoum, in the Soudan country. The White Nile is the main stream or true upper Nile. Lake Victoria Nyanza, a large body of water situated under the equator, 3,740 feet above the level of the sea, is the source of the White Nile. The Blue Nile has its source in the high mountains of Abyssinia, at an elevation of 9,000 feet, from which it descends with great force and carrying a great volume of water.

What are Suppositories.
A. G. Rose, from New London, Conn., writes: Send me two boxes of your Kemp's Pile Suppositories by mail. Our druggist is out. They are for a friend. I tried everything without help, but the Suppositories cured me.
The treatment is new and within reach of all, and would advise the affected to give them a trial. For sale by Chas. H. Buss Druggist, at 50c. per box.

Some odd advertisements of the last century have been collected. A Nantucket barber advertises to use "the scissors of discrimination, the soap of good nature, the brush of reform and the razor of decision." For a town meeting in 1760, voters were advised to put on Sabbath day clothes and wash their hands and faces. It would be sometimes conducive to good results if the voters of to-day were encouraged to similar attire. At one time the Captain General and Governor-in-Chief was forced to issue a proclamation against stoning windows, which had become common.

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BAKING
POWDER
Absolutely Pure.
This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. *Sold only in cans.* ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall St., N. Y.

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, MAY 27, 1887.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, C. R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samue E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

TOTAL, 12,760.

At the last regular Town Meeting the Assessors were directed by vote to take a census of Woburn this spring and in pursuance thereof the work has been thoroughly and honestly done by them. They found the total population to be, on May 1st, 12,760, which exceeded the expectations of a majority of the people, but did not quite come up to those of the JOURNAL. The increase from May 1, 1886 to May 1, 1887, was 874; and from May 1, 1885, when the census was taken by the State, to May 1, instant, it was 1,010, or an average of 505 for the two years. The boom did not set in until the close of 1885, and had established no steady, certain headway until nearly a twelvemonth after, which facts account for the excess of increase of population in 1886-7 over 1885-6.

All along during the past two years there has been a plenty of worthy townspeople who did not believe Woburn was growing. They said talk different from that was moonshine. They couldn't see any evidences of growth of population, and the fact was they knew there was no such growth. These people belong to that class who rejoice when everything is getting on in any sort of a shape but a prosperous one, and who have no faith in the doctrine that the world moves. However, figures, as a rule, won't lie and our Board of Assessors, who have done the work faithfully and conscientiously, find that there has been a large and most gratifying increase in the number of inhabitants which this town contains in the last year and have thus settled the question that has engrossed considerable of the peoples' attention for some time back.

Not only do the Assessors find that Woburn is rapidly growing in population but their enumeration shows that the total on May 1st, instant, namely, 12,760, suffices to give the right to demand of the next Legislature a city charter, which will be done. Some enthusiastic men advocated an application to the present Legislature for an act of incorporation but cooler counsels prevailed and all hands have concluded to wait until next winter before they apply for a charter. It is gratifying to the progressive people of the town to know and be able to say that Woburn is large enough to be changed from a town to a city by legal enactment and that in the course of a year the change will be made. The sentiment in favor of it has augmented greatly in the last two years, so that now there are but very few who object to and none hardly to oppose it. An early application will no doubt be made to the next Legislature for an act, and in the mean time the matter should receive attention from our citizens, a bill of incorporation should be drafted, discussed, voted and decided on, as Quincy has been doing for the last four months with her proposed new city charter, and everything got in readiness for intelligent action when the business comes up for a final disposition. We have no doubt at all but that within a year Woburn will be classed among the cities of this glorious old Commonwealth.

☞ Last Saturday Gov. Ames vetoed the Beverly division bill on the ground that it was tainted with fraud. They say $20,000 was spent on the lobby for and against the division and as to the comparative wickedness of the parties there was but little to choose. In his argument Gov. Ames makes out quite a strong case in support of the veto and perhaps on the whole it was the best thing to do. Opinions vary as to what the political effect of it will be, and a singular thing about it is that nearly all the newspapers discuss it from a political standpoint and ignore the merits of the bill almost entirely. If the Governor believed the measure should be vetoed then he did the right thing to refuse to sign it whether Essex county and the rest of mankind like it or lump it. It isn't whether the veto will help or hurt Gov. Ames in the campaign next fall but whether the measure was good or bad, or the manner of its enactment a crooked one or not. He believed the latter to be true and dealt the lobby a solid blow between the eyes by returning the bill with his objections to it to the Legislature last Saturday.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

T. H. Cahill—"Record."
J. G. Maguire—Citation.
Dr. Blackstone—Dentistry.
Co. Com.—Pet. of Col. Hayes.
J. M. Ellis & Co.—Stone-Masons.
Mark C. Felch—Canada Horses.
G. A. Bean—Real Estate Agency.
Peter Peterson—Situation Wanted.
Town of Woburn—Notice of Sealer, etc.
Winchester Savings Bank—Officers and Trustees.

— Read the ad. "To Let" by Mrs. C. A. Pierce.

— Josiah Leathe has a large stock of the best kind of summer shoes.

— The office and stables of Jacob M. Ellis & Co., are on Park street.

— Good enough: Jenkins says his 1887 pattern Garland Oil Stove is about perfect.

— By reference to his notice it will be seen that a man about 50 years old wants a situation.

— The Ladies' Auxiliary will hold a strawberry festival Tuesday evening at Y. M. C. A. Rooms.

— Smith & Son, dry goods merchants, call attention to their statements in the JOURNAL this week.

— Mr. Edward Simonds, Sealer of Weights and Measures, publishes a legal notice in the JOURNAL this week.

— Mrs. Cheever, the Montvale Avenue milliner, enjoys a large patronage because the ladies like her work.

— It was another very hot day again yesterday. The light rain of the day and evening before freshened things up considerably.

— Dr. Blackstone publishes a card this week which is worthy of particular notice. We understand the Doctor is doing a good business here.

— Mr. L. B Russell's large building for manufacturing purposes which stands near his factory is pretty well along and will soon be finished.

— A few days ago William Winn, Esq., went to Needham to attend the funeral of an associate of his in the Legislature of 1870 who has been his particular friend ever since then.

— Rev. D. D. Winn, pastor of the Baptist church, will deliver the Memorial Day oration before the Posts and people of this place next Monday.

— Mr. A. F. Morrell went to Kennebunkport last week to attend the funeral of Mr. Webster, his brother-in-law, who visited here last summer.

— Both G. A. R. Posts of this place have accepted the invitation of Rev. Mr. Wright, the pastor, to attend divine services at the Methodist church next Sunday.

— The new depot at Central Square is a daisy. There is nothing prettier on the B. & L. RR. that we have seen and it is large enough for all practical purposes.

— Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Butters of Winn street have gone to Asbury Grove for their summer holiday stay. They have been there before now and like very much.

— Mr. Copeland calculates it will take the carpenters and others about ten days longer to finish the addition to his store and enable the firm to get well settled in it.

— Mr. Fowle has the cases for the reception of Hon. John Cummings's valuable gift to the public library nearly finished. When completed the collection will be put in.

— We understand that the committee are making fair progress on securing subscriptions to the stock of the Chapman valve. Mr. F. A. Flint is busy after names and amounts.

— The work of setting the poles for the electric street lighting by Mr. Simonds is going on as rapidly as possible. Not a long time will elapse before the lamps are all in place.

— The Royal Society of Goodfellows will be instituted here next week Wednesday. All will please see Dr. Kelley and get examined this week.—Hatch & Adams, Supreme Deputies.

— It is reported in real estate circles that parties are trying to buy the Dr. E. Cutter place on the corner of Pleasant and Bennett streets with a view of improving it for a firstclass residence.

— Mr. G. A. Bean has a card in this paper to which we call attention. He is a good man to place the sale or letting of real estate with, and has desirable property on hand to sell and let.

— Several cars have arrived here for the East Middlesex Street R'y. Work on the tracks will begin at once. The Co's buildings on Salem street are going ahead rapidly and will soon be finished.

— It is reported that the Trustees of the Woburn Home for Aged Women are negotiating for the Converse house on High street for their future use. It is a good place whether the Home has it or not.

— Time being up Chief Nelson is liable to drop in on the town at almost any minute. But if those trout for the editor don't come too it will be a sorry day for the Chief when he came back to Woburn.

— It is not at all likely that any one will forget Robbins's circus that is coming here on the 8th of June but it will do no harm to direct public attention to the advertisement of it in the JOURNAL.

— Mr. Charlie A. Jones who bought the Dea. Millett homestead was offered $500 for his bargain a few days after the purchase. He sold the Court street house and lot to Mr. N. J. DeLoriea for $1800.

— It seems from a notice of theirs published in this issue of the JOURNAL that the County Commissioners are coming out to settle the line on the west side of Main street between Chestnut and Kilby streets.

— Mr. Mark C. Felch had a carload of fine Canada horses arrive yesterday which may be seen at Jones's Central House stables. The lot includes roadsters and work horses and are a choice lot all through.

— Last Saturday the W. H. S. Juniors met the Highlanders in a game of ball. The Juniors fielded and ran base in a manner that surprised their opponents, and finally wound up the game to the tune of 22 to 15.

— The joint committee on Memorial Day exercises extend an invitation to W. N. Titus, Esq., to deliver the oration, but business matters and the brevity of time allowed for preparation caused him to respectfully decline it.

— Capt. John P. Crane has bought the fine lot next south or east of the residence of James N. Dow, Esq., on Academy Hill on to which he will move his present residence buildings and make a nice, pleasant home for himself and family.

— Mr. Chase Cole, who had one of the bones of his left leg fractured two weeks ago in Boston while in the discharge of his duties as one of the city Truant Officers, rode out on Wednesday forenoon for the first time since the accident. He was never before in his life confined a day to a bed by sickness or mishap and he was glad enough to get outdoors once more. His limb will soon be cured and as good as ever.

— The lower story of the building which James Buel & Son are erecting the rear of their shops in Buel Place will be used for a machine shop by them and the two upper stories they will rent. The building will be 24x46 feet, three stories high.

— The *Globe* reporter says fishing in Horn Pond is good, which is true, but so far as catching fish is concerned one might as well cast his hook into the Great American Desert. At least such is the experience of a certain newspaper man we know of.

— Since last Friday, which was so hot that the mercury stood at 90 and above all day, there has been a good deal of weather that would pass in a crowd for the real dog days article. Monday and Tuesday for instance—they were very summery indeed.

— Before a great while the country lying between the Main street railroad crossing and Winchester line, on both sides of Main street and its feeders, will be packed full of permanent population. All that region is filling up rapidly and building is lively all along the line.

— Bear in mind that Burbank Relief Corps, No. 84, will give their first entertainment at G. A. R. Hall this evening at 8 o'clock to which the tickets are only 10 cents. The ladies of the Corps need aid from the community and we trust they will get a good deal of it this evening.

— Messrs. N. J. Simonds, S. F. Trull, Thomas J. White, W. T. Davis and perhaps others of this place attended the reception and banquet given by Converse Lodge of Free Masons of Malden last Monday evening. A large number of guests were handsomely entertained.

— The boys ought not to meet with any difficulty in finding diamond fields—in plain English, baseball grounds—in great abundance close to the middle of the town. They complain however of the scarcity of real estate desirable for that sport and therefore are at a loss what to do.

— In these local columns it was said that Mr. J. H. Parker is conducting a large and successful millinery establishment on Salem street and when it appeared the reporter had to flee from the wrath to come with all his might. The item should have read Mrs. instead of Mr. J. H. Parker.

— Perhaps the *Advertiser* will inform the public just where on Main street Mr. Marcellus Littlefield's house stands and which way a sidewalk on said street from said house to the railroad crossing would be likely to run and where land. The *Advertiser* is always so accurate as to its statements, you know!

— The Woburn Brass Band will give a concert on the Common in the course of a week or two to test public feeling in the matter of having a series of them during the summer. If sufficent patronage is proffered it is probable concerts will be given by both bands on alternate evenings during the hot months.

— Mr. E. D. Newton, as agent and manager of the Woburn Coal Co's business, has recently been making some important additions at their yards beyond the railroad track. It is his intention to have all the modern improvements and every facility for doing business rapidly and to the satisfaction of the public.

— We copy this from the baseball directory of the *Globe*: Rockets of Woburn: D. McLaughlin, p.; J. Curley, c.; James McDermott, 1b.; P. McConlogue, 2b.; P. Callahan, 3b.; J. Haggerty, s. s.; J. Feeney, r. f.; E. Callahan, l. f.; J. McDermott, c. f. James McDermott, P. O. box 907, Woburn.

— Comrade Chas. W. Stevens who is to deliver the poem on Memorial day was formerly a commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co. of Boston and during his recent visit to England was entertained by the A. & H. Artillery Co. of the City of London. He is both a writer and a reader of marked ability.

— This is "Anniversary Week" and of course the drouth broke just as soon as the ministers got fairly settled at the Hub and their baked beans. It hadn't rained for three weeks prior to Wednesday forenoon when heaven's flood-gates were hoisted a little ways and refreshing showers of rain came down. "Anniversary Week" did it.

— It was rather too moist for a military parade on Boston Common last Wednesday and so the Phalanx boys did not have quite so nice a time as they would have had under more favorable circumstances. A number of our citizens went to the Common to see our soldiers drill under the command of their new Captain Horace N. Conn.

— It is surmised that the Boston *Globe's* local reporter's suggestion respecting a park at the junction of Main, Scott and Johnson streets is one those rare and unaccountable cases where "the wish is father of the thought," for nobody else ever heard of the idea or thought of such a thing, and besides all that, said reporter owns real estate not far about there.

— People are already making arrangements and laying by money for the summer vacation at the seashore or in the mountains. In a little more than four weeks the season will be upon us with all its heat, discomfort and discouragement for the poor creatures, like country editors for example, who have no means to help them to get away to cooler places and spots.

— At the Chautauqua circle on Tuesday evening the main feature of importance was an essay upon Town and City Government. It was the production of our townsman, Hon. C. D. Adams, but for his convenience, in the press of other calls it was read by Mrs. Adams. It was a very interesting and valuable document, worthy of a far more extended hearing though a more appreciative audience could not be readily found. The style was clear and concise, the matter well considered and the final argument conclusive, showing the imperative need of a charter for this large and growing town of Woburn. The next meeting on the seventh of June will be the last for the season, and will be favored with a talk from Mr. Brown, of the Alms House, upon the methods of management in such institutions.

— A Dairy Supper was given Friday evening, May 20, in the vestry of the Unitarian church to members of the Friday Night Club and invited guests. There was an enjoyable social gathering in the parlors during the early part of the evening. Several very pleasing solos were given by Mr. F. Crowell and Miss Stella Lincoln. This meeting closed the very successful season of the Club.

— For the 12th consecutive time the Woburn Celtic Association will hold a picnic this year. The time and place are May 30, and Hiawatha Grove. The Floor Directors are W. W. Noyes; assistant, E. J. Doherty; aids, P. H. Mathews, J. J. Beatty, C. C. Leighton, D. C. Walsh, James Connors, Sylvester Duffy, Michael McConologue, J. H. Burke, Michael Hickey, William Mooney, Alex McDonald, P. H. Doherty. Music by Dunbar's band.

— Last week officers of the Woburn Home for Aged Persons, under the charter, were elected as follows for the year then to follow:—President, Miss Susan E. Edgell; Vice Presidents, Mrs. A. M. Winn, Mrs. Jennie K. Adams; Secretary, Miss Nellie A. Hayward; Treasurer, Miss Louise Engard; Trustees, Edward E. Thompson, John W. Johnson; Advisory Board, E. W. Hudson; John M. Harlow, Jacob Brown, Benjamin Hinckley, Parker L. Converse.

— J. M. Ellis's teams began yesterday to excavate for the foundation of the new Five Cents Savings Bank building on Pleasant street. The contract for building the block has we learn been awarded to Messrs. Head & Dowse of Manchester, N. H., the same firm that built the Pleasant street B. & L. RR. station, for $38,000. As soon as the building committee can be coaxed into giving some facts concerning the new bank building we will lay them before the public.

— At an expense of between sixty and seventy dollars Buckman & White have had built and put into their grocery store, 209 Main street, one of the best refrigerators that can be found in this town in which to keep their celebrated "Star" creamery and other butter, cheese, etc. It makes a handsome piece of furniture, resembling a large bookcase, finished in cherry color, plated silver knobs, hinges, and otherwise neatly built. It is very convenient and makes a good addition to the store.

— The Winchester Savings Bank publishes a list of its officers and trustees in this issue of the JOURNAL from which it will be seen that it comprises a large number of the solid citizens of Winchester whose names are a guaranty of the soundness of the bank and of its careful conduct in the future. The officers are all well known to the community to be men of high character and sterling business integrity. The bank has a large patronage and is doing a good business.

— Benjamin Champney, one of the veteran landscapists of the Studio building, left yesterday for North Conway, where he has an attractive home and studio, to which he has eagerly and regularly repaired for many summers.—*Sunday Herald.* Mr. Champney and family will leave here to-morrow for North Conway, N. H., where for between 30 and 40 years in succession he has lived, sketched and painted from June 1 to Nov. 1. North Conway is called the "Artists Paradise," and Mr. and Mrs. Champney evidently approve of the name.

— The Reading *Chronicle* man plumes himself on the quality of Reading cats. Last week he spun a long yarn about one of Mr. Moses Bancroft's feline animals and claimed that it is the champion ratter in America and ought to have the belt. And then he goes on and tells of some wonderful feats in rat-catching that particular cat has recently accomplished. We turn this boasting editor over to the tender mercies of Farmer Allen of the *Advertiser* with the simple remark that Mr. Moses Bancroft is about as much of a Woburn as a Reading man and we have a right to claim a part of the cat.

— Not a little curiosity was awakened by the appearance, at the Methodist church, last Sunday morning of a man in middle life whose straight, jet-black hair, dark complexion and keen eyes betokened his Indian origin. His name is Thomas Sunrise and he belongs to one of the old tribes in the state of New York. He is a civilized, clean-looking man, dresses in citizens clothing, and has been a citizen for fifty years and a minister for a part of that time. The pastor having previously known him invited him to sit in the pulpit and make a few remarks at the close of the service. He is a talented man and has a natural gift for speaking.

— An alarm from box 53 last Monday afternoon was caused by a burning chimney at Conn street. That from box 56 at 8 or 9 o'clock, Monday evening, was caused by the burning of the leather storehouse of Patrick McGowan at Cross street, which was totally destroyed with its contents, the whole valued at $5,500, on which there was an insurance for half of that amount, or nearly. A second alarm was rung in but when our firemen arrived on the spot they found the storehouse was in Winchester and could therefore do nothing to save it. The building was not long in burning down.

— For the gratification of our home readers and for future reference we give the population of Woburn in districts for the years of 1886 and 1887 as follows:

	1886.	1887.	Gain.
Centre,	8,761	9,426	665
North Woburn,	1,024	1,165	141
Montvale,	1,088	1,135	47
Cummingsville,	1,013	1,034	21
	11,886	12,760	874

Thus it will be observed that each geographical division or village in the towe made good progress in growth of population during the year, the per cent of increase being the largest in North Woburn.

— Next Monday will be Memorial Day. It will be observed all over the land that was loyal and true to the Union in the great war of the Rebellion. Two weeks ago the JOURNAL contained an outline of the manner in which the day would be observed by the G. A. R. Posts of Woburn, as derived from Mr. Fred Leslie of Post 161, so there is no need that we go over the ground again. The graves of soldiers in all the cemeteries will be decorated; there will be an oration by Rev. D. D. Winn, pastor of Baptist church; and banquets and speeches by each Post in the afternoon. From all indications the ceremonies will more imposing and interesting than they have been for several years.

— The response to Farmer Allen's call for a 4th of July celebration this year has not yet been widespread nor hearty. General Apathy evidently holds the fort for the present and if there is to be a patriotic celebration here on the 4th he must be routed horse, foot and dragoons before it can be done. The opinion concerning it is not all one way. Some are enthusiastic for a big time here, and others think the best way will be to go to Boston and have it. Whichever way will suit a majority of the people will suit this reporter, or if it don't he can go somewhere else for his fun and lemonade. Probably rather the best and most satisfactory way would be to have a real, old-fashioned, double-and-twisted, 3-ply, 4th of July celebration right here under our own vine and fig-tree. As many as are in favor of the motion will please manifest it by the usual sign.

— Fifty-two years ago to-day, namely, on May 27, 1835, on the testimony of Mr. Waterman Brown of this place who, being 17 years old at that date or thereabouts, remembers the circumstance as though it occurred but yesterday, the first locomotive ran over the Boston & Lowell Railroad, then the wonder of the land and mankind. The locomotive was the "Stevenson." It was imported from England to Boston, and from thence taken to Lowell on one of the freight boats that successfully plied on the Middlesex Canal between the two places at that time. On its arrival at Lowell it was taken to the Locks and Canal Machine Shops, now the Lowell Machine Shops, where it was set up and fitted for business. When completed it was driven over the road on the date above named, being the first engine to traverse the line, and the first locomotive that ran in New England. This comes fresh from the lips of Mr. Brown aforesaid who is the best authority in this country on all matters pertaining to the B. & L. RR. and elephants, and therefore the historical statements made above may with all confidence and safety be accepted as cold facts. Patterns were made of the various parts of the "Stevenson" from which the "Patrick," a noted locomotive in those days, was subsequently built. Mr. E. Cooper of this town, now 82 years old, rebuilt the "Stevenson," putting in a fire-box, etc., five years after she was purchased by Kirk Boott at Manchester, England, and landed in this country, and ran her over the road between Boston and Lowell, as Engineer, for some time thereafter. When the "Stevenson" was landed in Boston a shed was built on Canal street to house her in and there she remained for some time before being taken to Lowell.

To Business Men.

The JOURNAL has contracted to print a poperly classified Index of the leading and active business firms and interests of Woburn for special and widespread circulation, which after being published in the JOURNAL will be reproduced in a neat pocket form. This publication will offer our business men unusual advantages to advance their interests, which the agent will call to explain.

Baseball—A Challenge.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL:—There is a feeling in Woburn as to which club is the stronger and we would like to decide the matter in a game or series of games with the St. Charles Club, therefore if you will insert this challenge in your valuable paper you will oblige the undersigned players and a host of admirers. W. Noyes 2b.; A. Doherty, 3b.; P. Kelly, s. s.; J. Sweeney, c.; C. Crosby, p.; J. Doherty, r. f.; T. Sullivan, 1b.; D Sullivan, l. f.; B. Flaherty, c. f.
Address W. W. NOYES, Manager, Woburn Mass.

Woman's Club.

The last meeting of the Club was held in the parlor of the Congregational church. It was the first "Home Meeting" of the year and there was a large audience to hear what our own talent would present to us. It was a most instructive and entertaining meeting and all listened with unabated interest, although the time was protracted far beyond its usual limit. The following program was carried out and the literary exercises were pleasantly interspersed with selections from some of our musical members:

Reading of Miss Frost's letter.
Mrs. Carrie M. DeLoriea.
Introductory Explanations.
Mrs. Frances W. Hill.
Music—"God Save the Queen."
Mrs. Annie M. Lewis.
Queen Victoria.
Mrs. Emma P. Kelley.
Emperor William of Germany.
Mrs. Jane F. Davis.
Music—"German Spring Song."
Mrs. Sarah C. Phinney.
Czar of Russia,
Miss Hannah R. Hudson.
Sultan of Turkey,
Mrs. Sarah Tidd.
Music—"Italian Song,"
Mrs. Sarah C. Phinney.
Rulers of Denmark, Norway and Sweden,
Miss Sarah Spear.
Music—"A Swedish Dance,"
Miss Mertena L. Bancroft.
President Grevy of France,
Mrs. Adelaide Porter.
Rulers of China and Japan,
Written by Mrs. Isabelle Ward,
Read by Mrs. Melina Skinner.
Khedive of Egypt,
Mrs. Mary E. Johnson.
President of United States,
Mrs. Almira Ramsdell.
Music—"Star Spangled Banner,"
Mrs. Sarah C. Phinney.

The next meeting will be held in the Unitarian Church on June 3, when Mr. George Willis Cooke will deliver a lecture on "George Eliot and the Literary Women of Today."

James Pyle's Pearline is not a soap but a Washing Compound—a great invention for saving toil and expense without injury to the texture, color or hands. Pearline is the champion of all compounds for washing in hard or soft, hot or cold water, and without soap, soda, or other preparations. In the families of miners, machinists, plumbers, painters, printers, farmers and laborers, Pearline is a blessing. It is equally efficacious in washing dishes, clothes or begrimmed hands.

Every Workingman and Every Citizen should make a point of reading the great article in next Sunday's Record, giving the inside history and workings of the greatest speculation, legislative, municipal and stock, ever attempted in Boston.

There was a heavy fall of black rain on the Welsh coast lately. The showers had the effect of making the grass and the plowed fields quite dark and black in places. The most plausible theory for the phenomenon is that the showers came from the peat bogs in the south of Ireland.

Circular for "Memorial Day."

In accordance with orders from Department Commander, MONDAY, May 30, 1887, will be observed as "Memorial Day."

Members of each Post will assemble at their respective headquarters at 8 o'clock, A. M.

Comrades Tebbets and Goodwin are detailed to decorate the graves of soldiers and sailors in Burlington.

Post 161, accompanied by the National Band, will march to the headquarters of Post 33, and taking that Post under escort, will proceed up Main street to Charles street to the Cemetery, where Memorial services will be held; after decorating the graves with flowers the procession will leave the Cemetery by the east gate, where barges will be taken for Calvary Cemetery, Montvale, and the same exercises of decorating the graves will be performed.

A Band Concert will be given on the common from 1 to 2 o'clock, P. M.

At 2 P. M. the comrades will again assemble at their headquarters. At 2.30 the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, with the National Band, will take under escort the two posts, and march over the following route: Main street to Franklin, to Winn, to the Soldiers' Monument on the common, where prayer will be offered by Rev. M. E. Wright. Proceeding to Lyceum Hall the following programme will be carried out:

Reading of orders by S. F. Hathaway, Adjutant Post 161.
Invocation by Rev. M. E. Wright.
Address of Welcome by J. F. Leslie, Commander Post 161.
Singing by Quartette.
Ritualistic Responses by Officers of Post 161.
Singing, "Remember them to-day," solo by Mr. A. M. Colby.
Oration by Rev. Daniel D. Winn, of Woburn.
Singing by Quartette.
Original Poem, by Comrade Charles W. Stevens, Post 15.
Singing, "America," by the audience.
Benediction by Rev. Charles Anderson.

At the close of the exercises each Post will return to their headquarters, where they will partake of a collation furnished by the Ladies' Relief Corps connected with the Posts.

The public are cordially invited to attend the exercises.

J. FRED. LESLIE, Commander Post 161,
W. C. C. COLGATE, Cammander Post 33,
Committee.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, May 20, Walter Rooney, 29 days.
In Woburn, May 22, Charles O'Hara, 10 years, 28 days.
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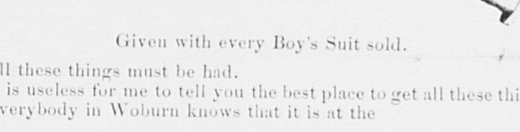
I THOUGHT SO!
This warm weather reminds us that we want many things.
A STRAW HAT,
A THIN COAT AND VEST (Seersucker),
LIGHT UNDERWEAR,
A NEW SUIT,
And you want a light weight Overcoat for evening or riding. By the way, we had a mark-down the other day and knocked the prices on Spring Overcoats silly.
Again—you should have a
HAMMOCK.
And the boy wants a new Suit and a Ruler



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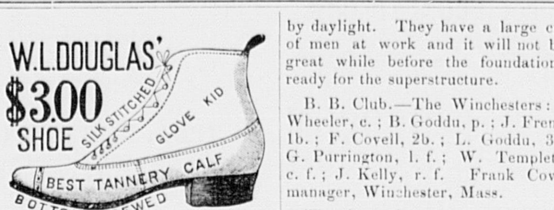

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WINCHESTER.

The Fortnightly Club held a business meeting last Monday afternoon.

Miss Gladstone has been appointed assistant teacher in the Chapin Second Primary.

The Assessors have got nearly through listing property for taxation for the present year.

Several elegant and costly residences are in course of building here. Our population is increasing quite rapidly.

Mr. E. D. Bangs has bought the Magee estate corner of Church and Cambridge streets which is good property.

Two Sundays ago Rev. Phillips Brooks of Boston preached at the Episcopal church here to a large audience.

Our pedagogues were addressed by Mr. John T. Prince, Agent of the State Road of Education, last week Thursday.

The Selectmen have issued a manifesto to prohibit riders of bicycles from running their vehicles on the sidewalks of the town.

Main street near Swanton bridge is to be straightened and made wider. The land damages were light and have been adjusted.

"What's in a name?" A livery stable is to be opened in town and called a club stable to tickle the fancy of the very nice indeed.

The next regular meeting of the School Committee will be held on the afternoon of June 4, when teachers for the year will be elected and their salaries fixed.

The Winchester reporter for the *Riverside News* at Medford says this town wants and greatly needs a National Bank. It would be a handy thing to have around.

The Pastor and F. W. Daniels and B. S. Briggs have been chosen delegates, the former *ex officio*, to represent the Unitarian church of Winchester at the meetings of the Unitarian Association this year.

At the annual meeting of the American Congregational Association held at Pilgrim Hall, Tremont street, Boston, last Monday, Rev. Joshua Coit of this place was elected one of the Directors.

Ellis & Co. are putting the foundation of the new Town House through by daylight. They have a large crew of men at work and it will not be a great while before the foundation is ready for the superstructure.

B. B. Club.—The Winchesters: H. Wheeler, c.; B. Goddu, p.; J. French, 1b.; F. Covell, 2b.; L. Goddu, 3b.; G. Purrington, l. f.; W. Templeton, c. f.; J. Kelly, r. f. Frank Covell, manager, Winchester, Mass.

The classes in carpentry will give a public exhibition of their work, at the Industrial Rooms, Shattucks Block, Saturday, May 28, from 4 to 5, P. M. and 7 to 9 in the evening. All interested are earnestly invited to attend.

Postmaster Garcelon has of late been a great sufferer from disease of the eyes from which he has not recovered. It was said here a few days ago that there was imminent danger of his losing the sight of one eye and perhaps of both.

General Swift, the silver-tongued orator, will deliver the Memorial Day oration here if nothing happens to prevent. At the same time our esteemed townsman, Mr. S. C. Small, will make the Memorial Day address at Bethel, Maine.

Miss Livingstone the first assistant teacher at the Centre Grammar School has been sick at her residence in Woburn the past week with pneumonia and the scholars in her room have had a vacation. As Dr. Kelly, who is Miss L.'s physician, says that she will not be able to resume her duties again this term, a Miss White of Woburn has been engaged for the rest of the term.—*Wadleigh in Advertiser.*

A report was current last week that the authorities had received official notice from the No. Woburn St. R'y Co. of their intention to commence immediately on the extension of the line of the road to Symmes's Corner, and there was rejoicing thereat. But on particular inquiry I learn that there was no foundation for such a report, and furthermore that there is no very strong likelihood that the extension will be touched this season. The officers of the corporation are too busy with building the East Middlesex St. R'y to allow of their attending to the extension to Symmes's Corner just at present.

Mrs. John M. Corse gave a delightful reception Thursday evening week at her summer house in Winchester, whither she and Gen. Corsed removed a few weeks ago from the Berkeley. Quite a number of Boston people were present, although the majority of the guests were from Winchester, Cambridge and the adjoining towns. The whole of the hospitable mansion was thrown open most invitingly, while the extreme warmth of the evening tempted not a few to enjoy the cool piazzas. There was music during the evening. Mrs. Stark, Mrs. Corse's sister, presided with others at the very pretty tea table. Mrs. Tyler B. King, who has been visiting Mrs. Corse, assisted the hostess in receiving her guests.

Memorial Day.

Headquarters A. D. Weld Post 148, G. A. R. Department of Massachusetts.

WINCHESTER, May 17, 1887.

General Orders No. 1.

In accordance with the Rules and Regulations, and in compliance with General Orders No. 11 from National Headquarters, and General Orders No. 3 from Department Headquarters, Monday, May 30th, will be observed by this Post as Memorial Day.

Comrades of the Post, and all Soldiers and Sailors living in town, will assemble at Livingstone Hall at 3.30 P. M.

At 4 o'clock, the Post will march through Church and Wildwood Streets to the Cemetery, where the Monument and Soldiers' graves will be decorated.

At 7.45 o'clock, Gen. John L. Swift will deliver the Oration, in the Methodist Church. The public are cordially invited.

A detail of Comrades will visit the Catholic Cemetery and decorate the graves there at 2 o'clock.

The citizens are earnestly requested to co-operate with the Post in the proper observance of the day.

The Maplewood Band will furnish the music, and will give a concert on the Common, at 7 o'clock.

By order of
EDWIN ROBINSON,
Commander.

W. A. SNOW, Adjutant.

North Woburn.

It looks now as though this village would go ahead faster in growth this summer than last. It is expected that a good many people will come here to live.

The new factory of Mr. J. O. Cummings in this section of the town has been rented to a firm of leather-makers who will give employment to from 50 to 60 hands. With the railroad extension we are just as well off for manufacturing facilities as the Centre was before the extension.

It is getting to be quite the style for ladies and gentlemen all along the line from Winchester through the Centre to North Woburn to seat themselves in the pleasant open street-cars of the N. W. S. R'y on bright afternoons and take a trip to this village, and there is no drive that one can have with dog-cart, drag, Irish jaunting-car or coach-and-four that can compare with the pleasure and comfort derived from such little after-tea trips.

George W. Barker, brother to J. Barker and Bros., of Pittsfield and B. F. Barker, of this place, has moved from his residence at 52 Grove street, Chelsea, Mass., which he has rented, to North Woburn a few miles from Chelsea and Boston. The place where he now lives has an acre of land for cultivation, besides a number of fruit trees. There are also good schools, two churches and a library of some 20,000 volumes at North Woburn.—*Berk. Co. Eagle.*

That Library with 20,000 volumes rather takes the starch out of a fellow. Glad to have Mr. Barker come and settle in this beautiful village, and he will find at the Centre a noble Public Library containing 25,000 volumes, Art Gallery, Nat. His. Rooms, Museum, etc. all free as air.

A Rich Antiquarian Find.

Hon. Joseph B. Walker of Concord, N. H., has presented to the Woburn Public Library a scrap book containing documents of rare interest to Woburn and which will excite the enthusiasm of our antiquaries more than any similar find which it has been the fortune of the town to receive from any source for a long period of years. Mr. Walker has entitled the collection "Papers Relating to the Edward Jackson Controversy," also "Ancient Woburn Deeds," and prefixes the collection with the following letter:

To the Managers of the Woburn Public Library; Gentlemen:

The documents composing this volume were found among the papers of the Rev. Timothy Walker, a native of Woburn, and from Nov. 18, 1730, to Sept. 1, 1782, the minister of Penacook, afterwards (1733) Rumford, and now Concord, N. H. Thinking that they may, perhaps, be of historic interest to some persons of your town, and desirous to place them where they will be more accessible than they could be if they remained in my possession, I hereby present them to the valuable library under your charge.

Very sincerely, yours,
JOSEPH B. WALKER.

Concord, N. H., May 18, 1887.

It is impossible in a few words to convey an adequate idea of the contents of this collection. The papers are numerous and many of them very lengthy. The "Jackson controversy" was a bitter church quarrel in Woburn in the last century. It arose in an unhappy difference between the two ministers of the first parish, Messrs. Fox and Jackson, and lasted sixteen or more years. The papers are very personal, present a vivid picture of daily life, and human nature in all its weaknesses, in the Woburn of 1730 to 1746; and present a phase of the trouble not found in the lengthy notice of it given in Sewall's History of Woburn. Some of the Woburn deeds presented with the collection are unrecorded, and all of them are old. There is an interesting document, in the gift, relating to the Rev. Samuel Sargeant, a later minister of the town than Jackson, and other ecclesiastical documents. From these documents we learn that the Fox-Jackson controversy excited an extraordinary clamor throughout the country. There is also a paper containing the names of the members of the third religious society, with the proceedings at its formation; this is of unusual value since the records of that church and the early records, even, of the older church are now lost.

Mr. Walker has other papers relating to Woburn, of which the town may later receive the benefit. He is, as is well-known, the custodian of the Rumford relics, and has in his house at Concord, N. H., the fine collection of paintings, portraits, etc., belonging to Woburn's most distinguished native, the Count.

At Tabernacle, S. C., a big hawk swooped down into Robert Brodie's yard and grabbed a hen. Mr. B. ran out and caught the bird, whereupon it buried its talons in his legs so that he could not step. He called for help, when Mrs. Brodie chopped the hawk's head off with an axe.

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Hamburgs, a new lot.

Literary Notices.

THE NEW ENGLAND MAGAZINE, successor to the BAY STATE MONTHLY, appears as a double number, or covering double space in time, including May and June, and is a very interesting and readable one. It starts out with an illustrated paper on the city of Providence which contains many facts and much valuable information, which is followed by many fresh, racily written articles that will attract and hold the reader's attention. The number contains many pictorial embellishments, and is altogether an excellent one.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for June is richly laden, as usual, with a variety of treasure. The opening article is the first complete account of the wonderful discoveries resulting from the important archæological mission to Susa, the ancient capital of Darius, intrusted by the French Government to M. Dieulafoy. Madame Dieulafoy's narrative of the inner history of this remarkable work, in which she cannot disguise her own valuable assistance, is a notable contribution to the annals of heroic enterprise. Twenty excellent engravings illustrate the article. Some of the other papers are: Great American Industries, The Kentucky Pioneers, On Keeping Birds, Stephen Wycharlie, Social Studies, Narka, American Railroad Legislation, etc.

*** HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Company, Boston; and at the Old Woburn Bookstore by Sparrow Horton.

The June WIDE AWAKE with its tempting frontispiece, "The First Day at the Beach" opens with a stirring story, "The Chase of the Meteor," by one of the group of Boston novelists, Edwin Lasseter Bynner. To keep company with the frontispiece is a delightful pictorial vacation paper, by Amanda B. Harris, "Down in Sandwich Town," full of reminiscences of Daniel Webster and the famous salt marshes, old inns, early Massachusetts history, and with it all the Sandwich glass-works. But the great feature of the number is, of course, the opening of the new serial, by Charles Egbert Craddock; "The Story of Keedon Bluffs" was designed for ten numbers, but it has been resolved to give the story entire in five or six numbers; consequently fourteen pages are devoted to it in this issue; the most bewitching of little girls, "Rosamondy," makes her entrance, and a pair of striking figures stand out already—two soldiers in the Civil War, the deserter, and the blind artillery-man. Mrs. Mollie Moore Davis, in her "La Rose Blanche" story, "A New Dog," gives a graphic picture of a great *crevasse* in war-times, when only the women and negroes of the plantation were left to fight the wild, muddy waters, and bears and alligators and raccoons made themselves at home in the houses, and all went to and fro in boats. Miss Guiney in "Fairy Folk All" writes of little Water People, Grace Denio Litchfield writes an account of her experience at Mentone in the late earthquake; Mrs. Parsons in "Patty's Cabbages" tells a true story of the Western grasshopper plague, and how a little girl begun her fortune; Mr. Hopkins in A Young Prince of Commerce tells how a young Bank President got his first instructions; Mr. Holder describes some Bird Sentinels; Susan Power tells the girls how to make a summer cottage cosey and restful; Mrs. Bolton writes of the success of a woman-florist in Ohio; and Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney, Mrs. Harriet Prescott Spofford, Clinton Scollard and Gertrude Hall have fine poems. WIDE AWAKE is $2.40 a year. D Lothrop & Co., Publishers, Boston.

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MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—Rev. H. C. Parker of Nashua, N. H., will preach at 10.30 a. m.

EPISCOPAL. — Preaching by Rev. Dr. Harris at 3 p. m. Seats free. Sunday School at 2 p. m.

BAPTIST. — Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; Preaching followed by baptism at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening church covenant meeting.

METHODIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. to Grand Army Posts; Young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; General prayer service at 6 p. m. Usual meetings on Wednesday end Friday evenings at 7.30 o'clock.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; Service of Praise and Preaching at 7 p. m. The usual meeting Wednesday evening. Christian Endeavor Friday evening.

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The Lick telescope will not be completed by July 1, as was expected, owing to delay in making the huge tube, 56 feet long and 3 feet in diameter, which is in process of construction at Cleveland, O.

Those nine practical jokers who spent a night in the Portland station, while under arrest on the charge of selling counterfeit money, will not very soon again attempt such a prank upon a Maine man.

Mrs. Grundy thinks the great trouble with modern novelists is that they don't know when they have written enough.

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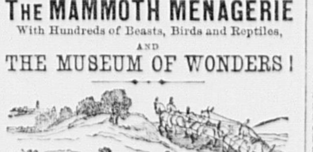

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Woburn, Mass.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners for the County of Middlesex:

The undersigned, citizens of the Town of Woburn, respectfully represent that the westerly line of Main street, in said town, between the northerly line of Kilby street and the southerly line of Chestnut street, is very crooked and the width of said Main street between said points unnecessarily wide.

Wherefore your petitioners pray that your Honors locate said line anew, and as in duty bound will ever pray.

H. B. HAYES and 11 others.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners for the County of Middlesex, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, to wit, by adjournment thereof, on the twenty-third of May, A. D., 1887:

On the foregoing petition, Ordered, that the Sheriff of said County, or his Deputy, give notice to all persons and corporations interested therein, that said Commissioners will meet for the purpose of viewing the premises and hearing the parties at the Selectmen's Room in Woburn, in said County, on Wednesday, the 29th day of June next, at nine o'clock and fifty-five minutes in the forenoon, by serving the clerk of the Town of Woburn with a copy of said petition and of this order thereon, thirty days at least before said view, and by publishing the same in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and also by posting the same in two public places in said town of Woburn, fourteen days before said view; and that he make return of his doings herein, to said Commissioners, at the time and place fixed for said view and hearing.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, 2d Ass't Clerk.

Copy of petition and order thereon.

Attest,
WM. C. DILLINGHAM, 2d Ass't Clerk.

A true copy. Attest:
JOHN E. TIDD, Deputy Sheriff.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

NOTICE!

In accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth notice is hereby given to the inhabitants of Woburn, and all other persons having a usual place of business therein, who use scales, weights and measures for the purpose of selling any goods wares, merchandise or other commodities, or for public weighing, to bring their scales, weights and measures to the Town Sealer to be adjusted and sealed.

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Woburn, May 25, 1887.

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Clerk—William H. Brewer.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,

MIDDLESEX, ss.

WOBURN, May 3, 1887.

Taken on execution, and will be sold at public auction, Saturday, June 11, A. D., 1887, at four o'clock in the afternoon, at my office, No. 194 Main street, in said Woburn, all the right, title and interest, liable to be taken on execution, that George P. Bartlett, of said Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, had on the second day of September, A.D., 1886 (being the time when the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following described parcel of real estate, to wit:—A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon standing, containing about 10,162 square feet, situated on Pleasant street, in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, bounded and described as follows, viz:—Southerly by Pleasant street, there measuring 63 feet; Westerly, by land of Abbie Mead and Mary C. Eager, there measuring about 1[illegible] feet; Northerly, on a private street, there measuring [illegible]3 feet; Easterly, on land formerly owned by J. B. Winn, there measuring 166 feet; being the same premises conveyed by Theodore Harrington, Charles E. Raymond, and Edwin B. Hale (Trustees) to said George P. Bartlett by deed, dated March 17, 1885, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1697, Page 285, and by Alpha E. Thompson, by deed, dated March 20, 1885, recorded with said deeds, Book 1697, Page 285, subject to two mortgages, now held by Edward D. Hayden.

JOHN E. TIDD, Deputy Sheriff.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of Daniel Lynch, late of Winchester, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Mary Lynch, Administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court her petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

21-1 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate given in trust under the will of Benjamin D. Osgood, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased:

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Arthur D. Osgood and Charles B. Osgood, two of the beneficeries under said will have presented to said Court their petition praying that the trust under said will may be terminated and the said trust estate distributed among the beneficeries free of the trust;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same. And said petitioners are ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of May, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven.

22-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, Creditors, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Mary E. Gilman, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to James Skinner of said Woburn;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

22-3 J. H. TYLER Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Ann Geary, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by James H. Conway, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty seven.

23-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

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For Constipation will depart,
And Indigestion quickly start;
Sick Headache, too, will soon subside,
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Literary Notices.

GOLDEN DAYS for May is as bright and interesting as ever. The stories are numerous, cleverly told and very interesting, and the same is true of the sketches, poetry, etc. The current Sunday school lessons are a popular feature of GOLDEN DAYS. The number is profusely and beautifully illustrated. Published by James Elverson, Philadelphia.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for June is equal to any number that ever preceded it. The best and most noted Boston authors write constantly for this excellent family monthly and some of their names appear appended to interesting papers published in the current issue. In fact COTTAGE HEARTH is as fresh as a daisy this month. We give the JOURNAL and the COTTAGE HEARTH for $2.00 per annum—price of JOURNAL alone.

The numbers of THE LIVING AGE for May 15th and 21st contain England and Europe, Madame de Maintenon, The call of Savanarola and The Imaginative Art of the Renaissance, The Empress Eudocia, Persia, and William Hazlitt, Pastoral, My Niece, Educational Nurseries, and A Pauper Training Ship, Jewish Pauperism, The Permanence of National Character, and Spring, with instalments of Major Lawrence and Richard Cable and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 monthlies or weeklies with THE LIVING AGE for a year postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

The new number of ST. NICHOLAS opens with a charming frontispiece by Frank Russell Green, entitled A Day Dream. It reminds us that summer is at hand; and Frank Dempster Sherman's poem, June, leaves no doubt upon the subject. Those who intend going abroad will not skip Frank R. Stockton's delightful King London. After perusing the Story of a Lost Dog, it may strike the reader that, if stray animals are so well taken care of in London, it will be quite unnecessary for humans to know their way about. Though the musical season is supposed now to have ended, we learn by Elizabeth's Concert that it has just begun. George J. Manson's article on A Banker and Broker will prove very interesting. West Point cadets, and their life in camp is capitally described in Winning a Commission, by Lieutenant George I. Putnam; while General Adam Badeau shows what an unpleasant business theirs may be in his stirring paper on Sheridan in the Valley. The Child-Princes, Charlotte, is cleverly told, add there are some interesting items in Editorial Notes about another historic maiden, Grizel Cochraue, whose story was told in the February number. Juan and Juanita and Jenny's Boarding-house grow better as they grow older; the Brownies have an adventure with a bee-hive and there is a great deal more than there is room to tell of.

LIPPINCOTT'S MAGAZINE for June opens with The Whistling Buoy, a novel by Charles Barnard, author of The Tone Masters, The Soprano, and other popular books. The present novel is a breezy tale of sea and shore full of stirring incident and adventure. Mrs. Margaret J. Preston furnishes Some Records of Philip Bourke Marston, which contain many letters from the poet of great interest and literary value. The Wistar parties of Philadelphia, which were once as famous abroad as at home, and which have recently been revived, from the subject of a chatty and entertaining sketch by Miss Anne H. Wharton. The Exchanged Crusader, by William Ashcourt, is an ingenious and brilliant trifle somewhat after the manner of Frank Stockton's extravagances. J. William White, M. D., Professor of Athletics in the University of Pennsylvania, contributes a timely and sensible article, A Physician's View of Exercise and Athletics, which should be widely read not only by young people but by their elders. Social Life at Cornell is the third in the series of essays on social life at our leading colleges, which are all contributed by undergraduates. The poetry is by Sarah M. B. Piatt, Mary B. Dodge, and Frederick Peterson. In Our Monthly Gossip, Miss Louise Stockton has a bright and humorous paper, entitled The Germ Theory of Ideas. Book-Talk reviews the leading novels the leading novels of the month, and has a few words to say about The Game of Draw Poker.

Appleton Morgan, in the June number of THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY, resumes the discussion of the question, Are Railroads Public Enemies? Professor William James, in Some Human Instincts, argues that man has more instincts than any other mammal. In Theology under its Changed Conditions, Canon Fremantle approves the most liberal exercise of criticism in matters of Biblical history and religious doctrine. Astronomy with an Opera-Glas can hardly be too highly commended. In Science and Pseudo-Science, Professor Huxley sharply criticises Professor Huxley on Canon Liddon. Gofio: Food and Physique, describes a peculiar food of the Canary Islands. Mr. Henry J. Philpott continues his essays on Social Sustenance. A paper of great economical interest on Industrial Education and Railway Service, is summarized from a report made by Dr. W. T. Barnard to the President of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company. Grains of Sand describes the origin and preparation of sand that is used in glass-making. Interesting papers are given on Appearance and Reality in Pictures, and the customs of the Transylvanian Saxons regarding birth and death. The subject of the biographical sketch and accompanying portrait is the late M. Jules Jamin. The Higher Education of Women is discussed in the Editor's Table, and the important announcement is made that with the July number the Hon. David A. Wells will begin a series of articles on causes of depression of trade and industry. New York: D. Appleton & Company. Fifty cents a number, $5 a year.

Mr. Arthur Shurtleff, Parker, Dakota, writes; "St. Jacobs Oil will cure one thing not advertised. It cured a wart on my finger which I had for years." Price fifty cents.

How Postal Cards are Made.

To follow the process of making the postal cards one has only to climb up to the highest building on the hill, where in a back room, a crowd of girls sort the rags that have just come in from the different rag collectors. The girls cut off all the buttons, take off the buckles, and sort out the rags. The sorted rags are placed in a chopping-machine which treats them like sausage meat, and after making the old dresses and trousers into little squares and triangles, too small for even a baby's crazy quilt, it whiffs them into another machine, where the dust is shaken out of them and they are cleaned. From that on the life of the rags is a succession of baths in cloride of lime and other bleaching and cleansing chemicals, with occasional visits to vats and rips through sets of sharp knives and fine toothed rollers. Finally the many colored rags come out in a nice white mush that looks like thin flour paste. This is shaken over wire to get the water out of it, and put through a few score rollers and a glue bath before it comes out as postal card paper.

At the end of the long rolls that have been squeezing it down thin enough and putting the pale gloss on it the long sheet of postal card paper, several yards wide, is either cut up into sheets 21x30 1-2 inches as it is rolled up, four postal cards wide, to be put on the automatic presses that print from a roll. Each sheet will soon be forty postal cards. When the paper has been calendered it is taken from the paper mill, a few feet, to the postal card factory. In the big room of the postal card factory are a dozen men, two dozen girls, a large press, four small cutters and big cutter, stacks of boxes, large tables, and a web of gearing and belts overhead. The sheets are taken to the press, where two feeders feed forty-one sheets a minute —1760 postal cards every sixty seconds. The postal cards are printed from steel plates so hard that there is not a file in the factory that will make an impression on them. Each card has a separate steel plate, and the eighty that are needed to make the impressions on the two sheets are wedged in the end of the press. The plates come from Washington, and last two years without renewal.

The sheets of postal cards are carried from the press a few feet to the feeders, who are women with long experience at their work. They are paid 41 1-2 cents per 100,000, and can feed from 500,000 to 600,000 a day. The sheets as they come to the feeders have previously been cut into long slips one card wide and ten long. The women feed them through another cutter that turns them out separate cards. Three girls take the cards from one feeder, one girl counts them to see that twenty-five are in each package, and the other two put paper binders around the packages. In a press a feeder feeds double, or two sheets at a time, and can feed four sheets at a time.

After leaving the girls at the feeding machines the postal cards are in bundles ready for sale, just as they look in a country post office. But before shipment they are boxed. Twenty packages of twenty-five each are put in a pasteboard box that by contract must be muslin bound. Five girls put on the muslin binding and are paid fifteen cents for binding one hundred boxes. Other girls take the packages of cards and put them in the boxes, which are then ready for shipment. No smaller order than 500 is filled. Orders of 10,000 and over are put up in wooden cases, the largest single package being a box that holds 25,000 cards.

Laws Against Bachelors.

Some years since a novel feature was introduced in municipal taxation in Belgium by allowing a rebate to all married men, with an allowance also for each child of the family, the chief burden thus falling on the bachelors. In France it is now proposed to tax bachelors the same as they were taxed in the days of the first republic, and there is no doubt but that the measure would be carried by an overwhelming majority if the women had a voice in the matter. It is a fact, by the way, that republics, for some reason or another, have been very severe in their laws against bachelors. Plato the Wise, condemned them to a fine, and in Sparta they were driven at stated times to the Temple of Hercules by the women, who, having undressed the poor fellows, would drill and castigate them.

The old Romans, too, were severe with their bachelors, who were made to pay heavy fines, and worse than that, for after the siege of Veii it is told how Camillus compelled them to marry the widows of soldiers who had fallen in the war. In the time of Augustus, also, all other things being equal, the married were preferred to the single men for public offices. Then the Roman who had three children was exempted from personal taxes, and the bachelor not only had to pay for them, but were prevented from inheriting the property of anyone not a Roman citizen. So that present revival of laws against bachelors in France is no novelty after all.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

Don't Experiment.

You cannot afford to waste time in experimenting when your lungs are in danger. Consumption always seems at first, only a cold. Do not permit any dealer to impose upon you with some cheap imitation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, but be sure you get the genuine. Because he can make more profit he may tell you he has something just as good, or just tha same. Don't be deceived, but insist upon getting Dr. King's New Discovery which is guaranteed to give relief in all Throat, Lung and Chest affections. Trial bottles free at W. W. Hill's Drug Store.

In serving planked shad, a Jerseyman, says the New York Sun, places a lot of big stones in a circle and builds a roaring wood fire in the centre. Then he scales the shad, splits them down the back, cleans and washes them and nails them on new pine shingles. Then he stands the shingles on end, leaning them against the circle of stones, with the bright red flesh of the shad exposed to the heat of the wood fire. If the fire is hot the shad loses its color in about ten minutes, and then five minutes later, with a faint tinge of brown over the juicy white flesh, it is served smoking hot to the guest.

Love for a Zanibar Maiden.

In April last the the cable announced that the Portugese Consul at Zanibar had hauled down his flag and was about to depart in high dudgeon. For several days there was a great tempest in a teapot, and then things quieted down and gave lookers on a chance to find out what the rumpus was all about. It was learned that the strained relations between the two Governments had grown out of the love affairs of Lieut. Sale, the son of a Portuguese Count who held a commission in the army of the Sultan of Zanibar.

This festive young man met the comely daughter of a well-to-do Arab merchant and fell violently in love with her. He cared not a cent for all the belles of Portugal, but he couldn't live without this dusky beauty of Zanibar. She declined to marry him because he was a Roman Catholic. That stumbling block was easily removed. Lieut. Sale abjured Catholicism, suddenly blossomed out as a devout follower of Mohammed, and soon after the lovesmitten convert and the Arab belle were married.

The honeymoon did not last very long. Dieut. Sale soon grew tired of wife who couldn't read or write, and had seen nothing of the world outside Zanibar. He suddenly became reconverted to the Roman Catholic faith and deserted his bride. He then decided that the climate of Zanibar was very unhealthy, and applied for a long leave of absence. The doctor of the Sultan felt the young man's pulse and pronounced him perfectly well. The Sultan thereupsn told the Lieutenant that he was a fraud and clapped him into jail without any ceremony.

The Sultan, it happened, had agreed some time before that the Portuguese Consul-General should have the right to fix the punishment of Portuguese offenders. As the Consul-General had not been consulted in this case, he made things unpleasant for his Highness, Said Bargash, and finally hauled down his flag, a proceeding that the Sultan could not contemplate with indifference when Portugal was looking enviously at a bit of his African territory, and was not unwilling to pick a chance to quarrel. So Said Bargash hastened to apologize, Lieut. Sale marched out of jail with an indemnity in his pocket, and the flag floated again from the Portuguese Consulate.

We Caution All Against Them.

The unprecedented success and merit of Ely's Cream Balm—a real cure for catarrh, hay fever and cold in the head—has induced many adventurers to place catarrh medicines bearing some resemblance in appearance, style or name upon the market, in order to trade upon the reputation of Ely's Cream Balm. Don't be deceived. Buy only Ely's Cream Balm. Many in your immediate locality will testify in highest commendation of it. A particle is applied into each nostril; no pain; agreeable to use. Price 50 cents.

Most men when they want to insert a leaf in a book put mucilage on both sides of the leaf's inner edge, put it in the desired place, shut the book, and let the muciiage dry. Afterward, when they come to use the book, they find it hard to read the words at the very inside of the pages, and later on they wonder why that leaf will not stay stuck in. The trouble is that they went to work in the wrong way. The difficulties can be obviated very easily. When you wish to insert a leaf, turn over a third or a half-inch of the edge of the paper. Put the mucilage only on the outer side of the little flap thus made, taking care to get none on the rest of the paper. Then insert the leaf and shut the book. When it is opened, if the outer edges of the sheet have been trimmed, it will be found to all intents and purposes a new leaf, as flexible and durable as any other in the volume.

A Very Narrow Escape.

"Yes, I had a very narrow escape," said a prominent citizen to a friend. "I was confined to my bed for a year and my friends gave me up for a consumptive's grave, until I began using Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, and here I am, sound and hearty." You will find it for sale by Chas. H. Buss, Druggist. Price 50c. and $1 trial size free.

The great evil, according to my thinking, with regard to literature as a trade, is the expiration of copyrights. Copyrights should never be allowed to expire at all. They should pay a tax on their income, but they should last for ever. If Charles Dickens had been a Guinness, an Allsopp, a Bass or some other great brewer, he would have founded a large fortune for his successors by the labors of other men. As he was simply a man of genius, who gave happiness and amusement to millions by the work of his own brain, his property is eventually distributed broadcast to the world.

An Imperative Necessity.

What pure air is to an unhealthy locality, what spring cleaning is to the neat housekeeper, so is Hood's Sarsaparilla to everybody, at this season. The body needs to be thoroughly renovated, the blood purified and vitalized, the germs of the disease destroyed. Scrofula, Salt Rheum, and all other blood disorders are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the most popular and successful spring medicine.

The real name of the Confederate leader, Stonewall Jackson, was Thomas Jonathan Jackson. At the battle of Bull Run, on July 21, 1861, Col. Slocum's New York regiment made a charge which put to rout the Confederate force in his front. Gen. Jackson had just arrived with his brigade. Gen. Bee said to him: "They are beating us back." "Well, sir," said Jackson, "we will give them the bayonet." "Form! form!" cried Bee, "there stands Jackson's brigade like a stone wall." The brigade was afterward called the Stonewall brigade, and the name Stonewall soon came to be applied to its commander.

"There's no place like home," so the old song says, and its true. But in some cases home could be made much sweeter and pleasanter than it is. Now don't turn aside poor, tired parent, and say, "it costs money to do that," for you can do it, and easily too, for a sound and reputable firm stands ready to aid you. Go and consult with B. A. Atkinson & Co., 827 Washington street.

Among the dry goods fabrics of a hundred years ago were Mugga Mamoordies, Madras Pat Handkercheifs, Aleabad Mowsannas, Chittabully Raftas and Jellapour Sannas. What has become of the glory of the past?

Sweetening the Waters.

The hands of faith never knocked at Heaven in vain. No sooner hath Moses shown his grievance than God shows him the remedy; yet an unlikely one, that it might be miraculous. He that made the waters could have given them any savor. How easy it is for Him that made the matter to alter the quality! It is not more hard to take away than to give. Who doubts but the same hand that created them might have immediately changed them? Yet that almighty power will do it by means. A piece of wood must sweeten the waters. What relation hath wood to water? or that which hath no savor to the redress of bitterness?

All things are subject to the command of their Maker. He that made all of nothing can make everything of anything. There is so much power in every creature as He will please to give. It is the praise of Omnipotency to work by improbabilities: Elisha with salt, Moses with wood, shall sweeten the bitter waters. Let no man despise the means when he knows the Author.

God taught His people by actions as well as by words. This entrance showed them their whole journey, wherein they should taste of much bitterness; but at last, through the mercy of God, sweetened with comfort. Or did it not represent themselves rather in the journey, in the fountain of whose hearts were the bitter waters of manifold corruptions; yet their unsavory souls are sweetened by the graces of His spirit.

O blessed Saviour, the wood of thy cross—that is, the application of thy sufferings—is enough to sweeten a whole sea of bitterness! I care not how unpleasant a portion I find in this wilderness, if the power and benefit of thy precious death may season it to my soul.—*Bishop Hall.*

Missionary Bowler writes. "Having used Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam for bronchial affections, hoarseness and severe colds I am prepared to say that it has afforded almost immediate relief in my most severe attacks; and I consider it the most effective preparation of its kind for all diseases of the throat and bronchitis.

"REV. J. R. BOWLER,
"Baptist (State of Maine) Missionary."
Trial bottles 10 cents at the druggists.

A Convert to Agnosticism.

"What is an agnostic, John?" asked a loving wife as she nudged her husband one morning when the thermometer was marking two below.

"A what?" asked John, drowsily. An agnostic?"

"An agnostic," replied John as he turned over to have another nap, "is a person that knows nothing."

"Then I'm an agnostic," replied the wife.

"You an agnostic! I have known that for a long time."

"But I never found it out until this morning," she said. "It is only a few minutes ago that I became convinced of it."

"I am glad you have taken the advice that Pope gave to men, to know thyself."

"Yes, I have discovered that I'm an agnostic. I know nothing. I don't know how to get up and light a fire while a lazy man is enjoying himself in bed."

In chronic diseases, medicines should be restoring, and not debilitating, in their action. The wonderful strengthening and curative effects, realized from the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, sustain the reputation of this remedy as the most popular blood purifier.

A Fair Bargain.

Dealer in crockeryware (to customer—No, I don't see that I can let you have that tea set for anything less.

Customer—Well, it might pay you to secure my trade.

D. I. C.—Humph! going into the retail business?

C.——No, but I've just got married.

D. I. C.—That's no inducement. Brides are usually very careful with their dishes.

C.—But we are going to keep a kitchen girl.

D. I. C.—Oh! you are? Certainly sir, we treat you liberally. I'll make a discount of seventy-five per cent on this purchase on the condition that you give me your trade hereafter.

C.—I agree.

D. I. C.—It is a bargain.

Malarial poisons contain the germs of dangerous diseases. If these poisons accumulate in the system, Typhoid, Bilious, Intermittent, or Chill Fever is sure to follow. Ayer's Ague Cure is a warranted specific for malaria.

No Good.

"I don't know," said a paragraphist to a friend who was afflicted with rheumatism, "whether there is any virtue in the thing or not, but I have heard that carrying a chestnut in the pocket is a cure for rheumatism."

"No good," answered the friend.

"No?"

"Not a bit of good. I clip your column of jokes out of your paper every week and carry it in my pocket, and, instead of getting better, I seem to get worse."

Two young ladies of Munich, Baroness Anna and Baroness Louise of Guttenberg, rowed in a boat to the spot in Lake Starnberg where King Ludwig of Bavaria met his death and deliberately threw themselves into the water. The bodies were found clasped in each other's arms. Both were pretty, rich and cultured. They had been suffering from melancholia ever since the King's death.

New York hop growers think the industry has seen its best days in that State. The cost of production has increased, vermin are cutting short the crops year after year, and brewers are making extensive and growing use of substitutes for hops. Prices are depressed and many hop fields are being plowed up and devoted to other crops. In some yards the vermin have killed the vines outright.

A genuine diamond may be heated to a white heat in an air tight retort without the slightest injury. There are other tests, such as the application of strong acids. Many crystals will mark glass, but diamonds cut it most easily.

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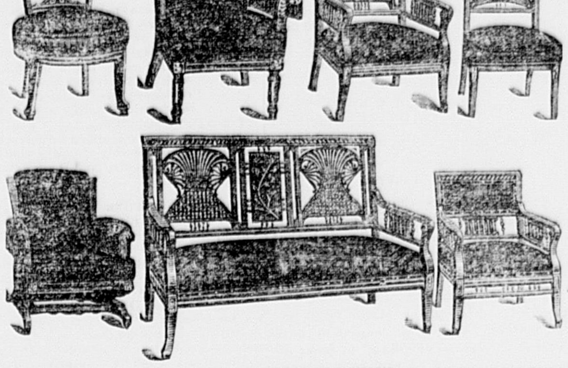

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A Talented Fraud.

One Carl L. Jensen of Philadelphia, Pa. has patented and put upon the market, capsules formed of very thin India rubber, which when filled with spirits, or other liquors, will look like grapes, currants and similar fruits. They are put up in boxes or they may be fastened together in clusters resembling bunches of grapes, by means of the cords which fasten the mouth of the filled capsules. The manner of using these is obvious. They are taken into the mouth and compressed until the thin rubber bursts, when the liquid is swallowed and the skin ejected, and nobody would suspect that an expert in their use was doing anything more objectionable than eating some particularly luscious grapes.

In the specification made by the inventor he says: "My device provides a convenient means for invalids to take not only liquid medicine, but small doses of spirituous refreshments in travelling, or in public places, without attracting the observation or criticism of those present, which is apt to be the case when a bottle is resorted to."

One wishes the ingenuity shown in this and similar devices for taking spirituous refreshment without attracting observation or criticism was put to better use. Still, the fact that drinkers feel it necessary to escape observation, because it brings criticism, is an evidence of improved public sentiment. —*Union Signal.*

An Affecting Scene.

American Anglomaniac (about to embark for his native land)—Well, ta, ta, me lad.

English Dude—Ta, ta, me lad. If you should happen to write, ye know, address me at Stockton on the Tees.

A. A.—Ay, ay, me lad, and if you should drop me a line address me at Boston on the Charles.

E. D.—Well, ta, ta, me lad.

A. A.—Ta, ta, me lad.

And thus they part, your majesty, thus they part, my lords and gentlemen, thus they part, right reverends and wrong reverends, and thus similar idiots are parting every day.

At an elegant dinner near Philadelphia the table, over fifty feet long, was set with cut glass only. A bed of roses extended its entire length, and little wax candles before each guest lighted the entertainment.

Photography is very popular with married ladies. They keep a photographic record of the children's growth and doings and make a family album, which is of the most unique interest.

The Modoc tribe of Indians are fast disappearing from the face of the earth. Since their removal from the lava beds in California to a reservation in Washington Territory their ranks have been greatly thinned by the grim visitor.

The Government of Kansas is now pretty much in the hands of newspaper men. The Governor, the Commissioner of Insurance, one of the three Railroad Commissioners and a score of minor officials are newspaper men.

Speaking of drinking, it may be observed that the man who says he can "take it or leave it alone" generally takes it.

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Or Black Leprosy, is a disease which is considered incurable, but it has yielded to the curative properties of SWIFT'S SPECIFIC—now known all over the world as S. S. S. Mrs. Bailey, of West Somerville, Mass., near Boston, was attacked several years ago with this hideous black eruption, and was treated by the best medical talent, who could only say that the disease was a species of

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and consequently incurable. It is impossible to describe her sufferings. Her body from the crown of her head to the soles of her feet was a mass of decay, masses of flesh rotting off and leaving great cavities. Her fingers festered and three or four nails dropped off at one time. Her limbs contracted by the fearful ulceration, and for several years she did not leave her bed. Her weight was reduced from 125 to 60 lbs. Perhaps some faint idea of her condition can be gleaned from the fact that three pounds of Cosmoline or ointment were used per week in dressing her sores. Finally the physicians acknowledged their defeat by this Black Wolf, and commended the sufferer to her all-wise Creator.

Her husband hearing wonderful reports of the use of SWIFT'S SPECIFIC (S. S. S.), prevailed on her to try it as a last resort. She began its use under protest, but soon found that her system was being relieved of the poison, as the sores assumed a red and healthy color, as though the blood was becoming pure and active. Mrs. Bailey continued the S. S. S. until last February; every sore was healed; she discarded chair and crutches, and was for the first time in twelve years a well woman. Her husband, Mr. C. A. Bailey, is in business at 17½ Blackstone Street, Boston, and will take pleasure in giving the details of this wonderful cure. Send to us for Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases, mailed free.

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I was a great sufferer from Dyspepsia and Constipation. I had no appetite, became greatly debilitated, and was constantly afflicted with Headache and Dizziness. I consulted our family doctor, who prescribed for me, at various times, without affording more than temporary relief. I finally commenced taking Ayer's Pills. In a short time my digestion and appetite

IMPROVED

my bowels were regulated, and, by the time I finished two boxes of these Pills my tendency to headaches had disappeared, and I became strong and well.—Darius M. Logan, Wilmington, Del.

I was troubled, for over a year, with Loss of Appetite, and General Debility. I commenced taking Ayer's Pills, and, before finishing half a box of this medicine, my appetite and strength were restored. —C. O. Clark, Danbury, Conn.

Ayer's Pills are the best medicine known to me for regulating the bowels, and for all diseases caused by a disordered Stomach and Liver. I suffered for over three years with Headache, Indigestion, and Constipation. I had no appetite, and was weak and nervous most of the time.

BY USING

three boxes of Ayer's Pills, and, at the same time dieting myself, I was completely cured. My digestive organs are now in good order, and I am in perfect health.—Philip Lockwood, Topeka, Kans.

Ayer's Pills have benefited me wonderfully. For months I suffered from Indigestion and Headache, was restless at night, and had a bad taste in my mouth every morning. After taking one box of Ayer's Pills, all these troubles disappeared, my food digested well, and my sleep was refreshing.—Henry C. Hemmenway, Rockport, Mass.

I was cured of the Piles by the use of Ayer's Pills. They not only relieved me of that painful disorder, but gave me increased vigor, and restored my health.—John Lazarus, St. John, N. B.

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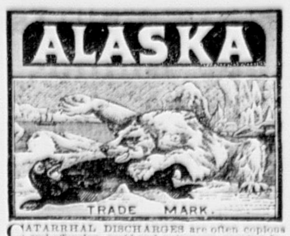

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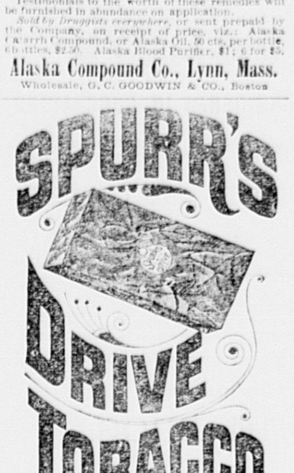

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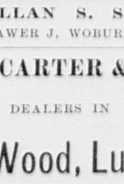
DEALER,  REPAIRER.

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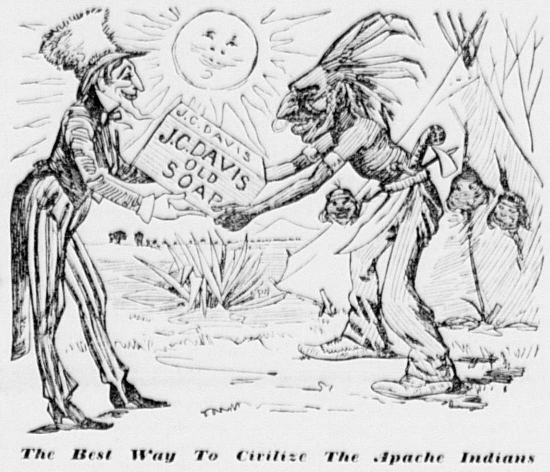

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THAT OLD MR. HUMPHREYS.

I think she is rather like the Lady of Shalott, said Louise. At least she lives on an island in a river, and nobody ever sees her hardly, though they can sometimes hear her singing in the early mornings or in the evenings. I feel so sorry for her often; I wish we could get to know her and cheer her up a little.

It must be awfully dull over there, said Jack, throwing pebbles into the water as he lay along the grassy river's bank and looked across at the gray turretts of an ivy covered house upon an island, situated almost opposite to their pleasant rectory house and the square towered church close by. I should think she must often wish to goodness it had never fallen to her lot to come and nurse that old misanthrope of an uncle of hers, even though it may be to her advantage in the long run.

And I've never even seen her, said Dottie, the little crippled sister. And Louise says she is so pretty; but I can't get to church, and she never comes on shore except for that.

And not often even on Sundays, added Harry. That old curmudgeon must be a regular tyrant. I don't believe she ever gets an hour's peace, hardly, from morning till night.

It must be so dull for her! said Dottie, I wish we could make friends.

Why can't you? asked Philip, who was leaning over the end of his sister's couch, lightly caressing the soft rings of hair upon her pale brow. What's the difficulty?

Philip had been absent from home for a year and a half, which accounted for his ignorance as to some recent events. He was the rector's eldest son, a young man of great promise, who had been travelling now for a considerable time as tutor to the sons of a nobleman.

Oh, don't you know, explained Dottie, that old Mr. Humphreys took to quarrelling with everybody last year? He brought a lawsuit against Mr. Arbuthnot, and when papa went to him to him once or twice to try and make the peace between him and one or another, he got most dreadfully angry, and at last he turned papa out and vowed he would never see him again or have anything more to do with him.

He has been ill most of the time, too, added Louise. Papa says he believes it was this illness coming on that made him so dreadfully cross and disagreeable. Anyway he has been shut up ever since, and about six months ago this neice of his—Muriel Fairley I believe is her name—came to nurse him, and a dreadful time she must have of it, I should think. Old Mr. Humphreys is getting better they say. He comes down stairs; any fine day he might even crawl out of doors. If he were to see us I don't know what would happen. I have always been frightened of that old man.

Philip was smiling to himself.

He used not to be half as bad old boy when I was a little chap.

Ah, he's changed for the worse since those remote days, answered Jack. Nobody goes near him now who can help it.

Philip smiled again under his moustache, but he said no more then on the subject of the old misanthrope and the fair girl living in their solitude within their turretted island house.

But he was fond of boating, this tall stalwart young man, and the long, lovely days in May, with their fragant, dewy morning hours, and sweet, still evening calm, often tempted him out upon the river, and his skiff was often to be seen plying up and down the bright stream, not infrequently in the neighborhood of the inhospitable island.

On more than one occosion the bold navigator had obtained a glimpse of a very pretty picture—a tall, graceful girl, with golden locks clustering beneath the brim of her picturesue hat, standing beneath the budding trees, with May's wealth of blossoms at her feet, her eyes fiexd with something of wistfulness upon the opposite bank of the river.

Dottie, said Philip, one hot afternoon, when they were alone in the river side garden, all the others having gone out for the day, would you like to be punted about on the river for a little while if I could make you comfortable?

Dottie's eyes sparkled with delight.

Oh, Phil, it would be delightful! I haven't been on the river since last summer.

Come along, then. I'll carry your cushions. Take my arm. That's right; why, you walk better than you did when I went away.

She was soon comfortably established in the flat bottomed punt, which her brother skilfully propelled along the smooth, shining river.

I should so like to see Mr. Humphreys' terraced garden again, sighed Dottie, looking longingly towards the island.

And so you shall, said Philip, propelling his craft in the direction indicated.

Oh, but—suppose the old man is there?

I don't care if he is. I'm not afraid him.

But I think I am.

Well, I will take care of you anyhow.

Philip's boyhood, or at least a part of it had been spent at this place, during a few years that his father had been curate in charge of the square towered river side church. At that time he had been rather a favorite with the lonely old man in his island home; but since his father, after an absence of ten years, had returned as rector to the same quiet spot, the young man had hardly ever been at home for more than a few days at a time, and, as it chanced, had never renewed acquaintance with his former friend.

Round the mysterious island skimmed the daring craft, and Dottie clasped her hands and uttered a breathless exclamation of delight as she saw the masses of late spring flowers blooming in all their fragrant beauty along the exquisitely kept terraces of the sunny south garden.

Oh, Phil! she exclaimed rapturously. I never saw anything so lovely. Do you think we might go a little nearer?

To be sure answered the hardy adventurer, and brought his punt along side the low wall that divided the last terrace from the shining water barely two feet below.

Suddenly the brother and sister were aware that they were not alone. With a startled air, a girlish figure rose up suddenly from a low seat behind a bank of flowering shrubs, and a pair of wide open gray eyes confronted the strangers with a gravely questioning glance. Philip's resolution was taken in a second. He sprang ashore without a moment's hesitation, and to his sister's astonishment he extended his hand in the frankest, frendliest fashion possible.

I see I am forgotten, Miss Fairley, he said. Have you no recollection of the naughty boy who nearly drowned himself under this same terraced garden in trying to frighten you by exhibiting his own prowess, and who afterwards led you into untold mischief by committing desperate depredations on Mr. Humphreys' precious apples and pears?

A little smile began to curve the girl's sensitive mouth; she put out her hand half doubtfully.

It was little Philip Adair who did all that, she answered. I remember him quite well.

And will you let big Philip Adair have the pleasure of renewing an old acquaintance? I have seen you now and then, though you have not seen me. I felt certain it was my former playmate—the fairy of the island—come back.

She smiled again as she heard the old name pass his lips; it recalled the games they had played together as children; but the next moment a look of anxiety and apprehension crossed her face.

Please forgive me if I seem inhospitable, but I am afraid I cannot ask you to stay. My uncle—he has been ill; he is peculiar, nervous, irritable.

She stopped, glancing pleadingly into Philip's kindly handsome face. He saw her embarrassment, and smiled in the friendliest fashion.

I know I am a trespasser, he said; but I mean to try and vanquish your uncle and re-establish the old friendship with which he used to favor me, and then, as Muriel looked a little sad and shook her head doubtfully, he added, ah, well, we shall see; but please let me have the pleasure of introducing you to my youngest sister, Dorothy. She is lame, poor little girl. I brought her in the punt to look at these lovely flowers.

Your sister? repeated Muriel, doubtfully.

Yes, you don't know her; all my brothers and sisters were away at the seaside that summer when you and I became acquainted. Dottie is an invalid; and she does so love flowers. Do come and speak to her and let her apologize for our intrusion. She has so much wanted to see you. She thinks a good deal about you, all alone on your island home.

Mauriel glanced at him, and then looked round towards the quiet little figure in the punt, and after a moment's hesitation she stepped down towards the water's edge, and greeted Dottie with a shy smile of welcome.

Philip did not move, but stood still, watching the two girls, till, after a few minutes, they were all startled by the sound of a sharp voice, pitched in a key of extreme irritation, calling angrily from above.

Muriel! Muriel! What are you doing? What is the meaning of all this, I say? Are all my commands to to be defied? Am I to be set at naught in my own house? How dare you? Come here this moment! What have you got to say for yourself?

Mauriel started, looking pale and scared.

Stop a moment, said Philip, quickly; let me go. And the next moment he had bounded up the terrace steps and was standing in front of the choleric old gentleman.

I'm so awfully glad to see you again, sir, he said, extending his hand frankly, and taking the cold unwilling member that barely suffered the clasp of his fingers. I hope it means that you are better—seeing you out and about like this. I suppose I've grown out of all knowledge, but you don't look a bit different. Do you remember fishing me out of the water with a long boathook?—little Philip Adair, who had the impudence to half-drown himself under your garden walls!

But the scowl on the old man's face did not relax.

Impudence! If it comes to a question of impudence, I don't see that you have much improved. What do you mean by coming sneaking into my garden like this?—creeping in the back way instead of ringing the door-bell like a man! Are ye afraid of me?—or ashamed of yourself? What have you got to say about it? What does it all mean, eh?

It means, sir, that my little lame sister, who has been shut up all the winter and is only just able to get out again, had a great wish to see your lovely spring garden before its glories had gone by. She has a passion for flowers, and I was resolved she should not be disappointed. She was afraid you might be vexed if you saw our boat come into your private backwater, but I knew that you loved flowers too well to grudge a sight of them to my poor little patient Dottie. We had no intention of landing; but when we reached the garden our approach startled Miss Fairley, and I felt constrained to tender an apology first to her and then to you. That is the whole story, sir, and having explained it all to you, I can only wish you good afternoon, and pledge my word not to disturb your solitude again, and Philip lifted his cap and turned away to depart.

Stop, stop! not so fast, not so fast, called out the old man. Here, stop a bit, can't you? So your sister is fond of flowers, is she?

Yes, exceedingly fond.

An invalid, you say? How old is she?

Sixteen; she has never had any health all her life, poor child.

And she likes flowers, does she? Could she get up these steps if you were to help her?

Oh, yes; she can hobble about with a stick or my arm. She is always better in summer.

Fetch her up, then. If she likes flowers she must see my houses. Muriel, Muriel, run and say we'll have tea in the conservatory—tea for four. Do you hear? Now go and fetch the little girl up, Philip Adair. Bless my life! ill and invalided, and fond of flowers. What a coincidence!

Dottie's pale cheeks were flushed rosy red when at last she stood before the old man. He studied the sweet, childlike face for a while in mute silence, and then he held out his hand, his own rugged countenance softening wonderfully.

So you are fond of flowers, little girl, he said, and haven't health to go gadding about everywhere like other giddy young things? You and I ought to suit each other, then. Come along, take hold of my arm. There, that's right. You're not afraid of the old man, eh?

Not now, answered Dottie, with childlike trust. You're not a bit like what I fancied.

He was still chuckling over this answer when Mauriel joined them after accomplishing her errand. Her eyes opened wide as she saw her morose uncle gently leading the lame child towards the glass houses, and discoursing to her, on the way, of the various shrubs and flowers that they passed.

Philip looked up with a smile and joined her.

I thought he would not be proof against Dottie's eyes, he said. She wins all hearts, dear little patient soul.

I am so glad! said Muriel earnestly. It has been so bad for uncle, shutting himself up from everybody. He feels it himself, I know, for it is not his nature to be morose, although he is certainly irritable. I do hope this will be a beginning of something rather different.

You have found it rather dull, then?

Yes, she answered frankly, it has been dull. I am very fond of uncle, and he is wonderfully good to me, though he has won the reputation of being such a tyrant; but at home there are a whole family of us—and I do miss the fun and chatter. I used to look over at your garden often, and wish myself there. She paused and laughed; blushing a little at her own frankness. If uncle will let Dottie and me be friends it will be a very great pleasure.

A mutual pleasure, I am sure, said Philip. Well it looks rather like it now, glancing at the pair in front.

Are you going to extend your visit here after he gets well?

He wants me to make my home here, said Muriel, and I think perhaps I shall. There are plenty of us at home, and he is quite alone. She looked out gravely before her, saying slowly, you see, we ought to think of other people's happiness before our own, and to do as we would be done by. I don't think I should really be happy if I were to think only of pleasing myself.

Philip and Muriel were politic that afternoon, and left Dottie and the old man plenty of time together to make acquaintance whilst they renewed old associations with the quaint garden, old orchard, and the dark, well-kept shrubbery walks. They took tea all together in the fragrant conservatory, and it was plain that the friendship between the delicate girl and the old man had advanced by rapid bounds.

You must come another day, my dear, he said, with unusual kindness, when at last the visit came to an end, and Philip had made her comfortable in the punt for the homeward voyage. You must come again soon; I have plenty more to show you. You must come and stay a week with Muriel. It will do her good to see some company, eh, little one?

I should like it so much! cried Muriel gladly. Dottie, will you come?

Indeed I will, if I shall not be a trouble.

Trouble, pooh! stuff and nonsense! She likes that kind of trouble, does this girl of mine. And look here, you young jackanapes—what's your name? Philip, eh? Well, Philip, you may come across, too, if you like—you've impudence enough for anything—and I want to hear all about your travels. And I say, by-the-by, if you'll tell your father I'm uncommonly sorry I was so rude to him the other day, it will oblige me; and if he'll come again and see a cross old man, whose bark is worse than his bite, why, I'll take care I never behave so ill again—that's all.

Oh, Phil! cried Dottie, as the punt swung round the corner of the island out of sight, what a perfectly lovely adventure we've had! Isn't he nice? and isn't she sweet?—and with a little soft laugh, Louie won't be able to call her the Lady of Shalott any more.

She was less like the Lady of Shalott than ever as the summer days flew by; for Sir Lancelott only loved and wooed—and rode away forgetful, but Muriel's knight was made of nobler, manlier stuff than he of King Arthur's court.

Philip came regularly every day to see Dottie while she paid the promised visit to the magic island; and yet, strange to say, she saw very little of him, despite the unconscionable length of his calls. Strange to say, too, Muriel was always missing on these occasions. Dottie's old friend, the "misanthrope," sitting with her in sunny garden or fragrant conservatory, would chuckle audibly to himself, his eyes twinkling with amusement as he professed to grumble bitterly at his "desertion." He laid plans, too, only half understood by simple Dottie, about a wonderful "something" that was to be found for Philip, which should enable him to be more master of his own time, much of which could then be spent at the island home, some day to be Muriel's own. But all that was in the future, whilst it was only in the bright, glowing present that the young lovers lived, as summer's golden days flew by as on wings, and they plighted their troth one to another beside the shining river.—*The Quiver for May.*

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

MEMORIAL DAY.

After a long, cold storm the sun rose clear and bright last Monday morning, and although for a few hours thereafter bankings of clouds threatened rain for Memorial Day by 10 o'clock it was all sunshine again and there was fair, fine weather through the afternoon and evening. It was not as hot, dusty and uncomfortable as it usually is on Veterans' day, but a cool breeze from the ocean made marching endurable and attendance on the literary exercises in Lyceum Hall a pleasure. Indeed, it was very nearly a typical June day, clear, sweet, elastic, with just a breath of roses in the air, the grass freshened by recent rains, apple-trees in blossom, meadows yellow with dandelions, and all nature decked in holiday dress and wearing smiles on its face as if joyous, happy and at peace with the world and the rest of mankind.

The soldier's monument on the Common was decorated quite early in the morning which began the memorial exercises of the day. Many beautiful flowers, plants, ferns, green vines, and flags were arranged in festoons, garlands and wreathes with which to beautify the granite and bronze of base, pedestal and statue of the monument, and arrayed in these it was never more appropriately ornamented or looked more pleasing and attractive. Soon after this further execution of the orders of Commanders Leslie of Post 161, and Colgate of Post 33, as published in the JOURNAL of last week, was commenced. In the forenoon both Posts marched to Salem street and Montvale cemeteries, headed by the National Band, and decorated the graves of soldiers and sailors in each, after which they returned to their respective halls. The line was longer than usual, the ranks were full, and the displays was in the highest degree creditable to the interest taken in the organizations. It was remarked on all sides that it was the best parade exhibition the old soldiers here have made for some years.

There was a very large audience gathered at 2.30 in Lyceum Hall to enjoy the literary and musical part of the programme. The hall was full above and below and yet neither the orator, poet or people suffered from the heat, as has sometimes been the case heretofore. The oration was delivered by Rev. D. D. Winn, pastor of the Baptist church of this town, and it was an eloquent one. The large audience were entirely quiet during its delivery and listened to it with marked attention. Its sentiment and the garb it was dressed in were fitting to the day and occasion, and from beginning to end the oration was loyal, fervent and eloquent. An original poem was delivered by Comrade Charles W. Stevens of Boston. It was rich. It was also greatly enjoyed by those who heard it. The veterans were particularly delighted with the sentiment of the poem and the music of its measure. Comrade Stevens is an author of note as well as a reader of wide reputation, and in either capacity he always acquits himself with great credit. The "boys" said afterwards that they hadn't heard anything so good in a verse as Mr. Stevens's poem for a great while. The usual ceremonies of reading of orders by Adjutant Hathaway of Post 161, and address of welcome by Commander Leslie of the same, were duly observed after Rev. Mr. Wright, pastor of the M. E. Church, had asked a blessing on the day and occasion and there had been good music by a quartet, etc. The exercises were all interesting from invocation to benediction, and the literary contributions to the celebration were of a very meritorious, acceptable and satisfactory character.

Thus passed and was observed another Memorial Day here, and although the ranks of the veterans as they marched up and down the streets were not so full as last year and the year before and back of that, some having dropped out since last year's observance of the day, as others doubtless will fall by the way ere the next one is reached, it and its incidents were well enjoyed by the Posts and people.

☞ Evidence of what a good, sturdy fight in an honest cause can accomplish is furnished by the Boston *Record* in its contest with the West End Land Company of Boston, a powerful syndicate of capitalist which is doing all it can to gobble up the street railroads in the city besides having an evil eye on the Common and other things held sacred by all true and loyal Bostonese, to secure which a bill is now pending before the Legislature. The *Record* has driven the syndicate to abandon its watered stock scheme but it will not stop until it surrenders other positions equally inimical to public interests, for unless we greatly misjudge that spunky paper it has enlisted for "during the war," which may mean a complete route of the enemy.

☞ Editor O'Brien of Dublin who is after the scalp of Gov. Gen. Lansdowne of Canada met with a cordial reception on his visit to Boston a few days since and was hospitably cared for during his stay. While lecturing in Canada he told some pretty hard stories about Lansdowne and his cruelty in evicting tenants from his Irish estates who are unable to pay up, which stories did not set well on the stomachs of some of the Orangemen who stoned and otherwise maltreated O'Brien at some of the places visited by him. He made it out, and it appears to be true, that Lansdowne is a cruel and unjust landlord.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

S. R. Niles—Money to loan.
Hatch & Adams—Goodfellows.
T. H. Cahill—Brine & Norcross.
C. A. Smith & Son—Dry Goods.
Town of Woburn—Health Notice.
L. H. Chadbourne—Boots & Shoes.

— Town Clerk Seeley had issued licenses for 510 dogs at the close of May 31.

— Last Sunday night James Crowley had one of his legs broken by a stone thrown at him.

— Copeland & Bowser hope to see the addition to their store all complete in a few days.

— The Assessors are busy on the tax books and the commitment to the Collector will be made in due season.

— Mrs. Packard's millinery rooms in Trull Block are well patronized, and the ladies are well pleased with her work.

— The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet in the Congregational church parlor, on Monday, June 9, at 3 P. M.

— Miss Nellie E. Platts gave a pianoforte recital at the Baptist church last evening at which the famous Wulf Freze played the 'cello.

— Mishawum Lodge, A. O. U. W. is flourishing. Three applications for membership were received at the last meeting and others are ready to join.

— We know of two Woburn business men at least who live at Winchester because they can find no houses in this town to live in. This ought not to be thus.

— Anent his snarl about "advertising schemes" the editor of the *Advertiser* is hereby informed that we are running our business to suit ourselves and not him.

— The American Express Co.'s agent has moved into the new office and feels very proud of it, so they say. Well, it is neat, pretty edifice and will bear being proud of.

— A plenty of our people begin to look oceanward with considerable anxiety, but such weather as we have had for a week past ought to make them contented to stay at home.

— The Woburn Lawn Tennis field, located on Mt. Pleasant and Prospect streets, owned by a stock company of Woburn gentlemen, will be opened on the 17th instant—Bunker Hill Day.

— There will be a meeting of the Managers of the Corporation for the maintenance of the Woburn Home for Aged Women at the house of Mrs. Mary Shaw, Tuesday, June 7, at 2.30 P. M.

— Grove meetings conducted by Rev. W. A. Jackson will begin at Pollard's Grove next Sunday. For two or three years past these meetings have been largely attended and very interesting.

— Mr. Titus, agent for the sale of the Bryant and King addition to Woburn, sold two lots to Boston parties early this week, who will build residences on them at once. The town is filling up fast.

— The Woburn JOURNAL which calls Editor Allen of the Woburn *Advertiser* everything but a horse-thief, wants the *Riverside News* to "emulate the virtues of the JOURNAL."—*Riverside News.* Why don't you then?

— Next Monday evening a lodge of the Royal Society of Goodfellows will be instituted at G. A. R. Hall, as per notice in this paper. Already over 30 persons have been examined by Dr. Kelley for admission.

— There was a heavy and much-needed rain last Saturday night which was continued intermittently during Sunday and heavy showers through the week. It was a cold, continuous pour-down during Saturday night.

— The National Band gave a grand good concert on the Common between one and two o'clock on Memorial Day afternoon which a great many people assembled to hear. It was an agreeable feature of the doings of the day.

— John G. Maguire, Esq., has purchased a residence lot of Mr. Flagg on Montvale Avenue on which it is currently reported he will soon build him a home. It is a desirable location and good neighborhood—as much so as any in town.

— The RR. Co. are putting in gates at the Central Square crossing. It is understood that trains will begin to stop there when the summer time table is adopted, which it is also understood will make its appearance early in this present month.

— There was an immense crowd at the picnic of the Celtic Society in Hiawatha Grove last Monday. It was a great day for a picnic and a great picnic for the day. The barges made mints of money carrying passengers to and from the grove.

— Slater & Leeman, well known painters, are putting the finishing touches to the cases in the Library which are to contain Mr. Cummings's contribution of a natural history collection. They are also doing the painting for Copeland's store.

— A complimentary First View of Munkacsy's painting, "Christ before Pilate," will be given at Horticultural Hall, Boston, next Monday from 2 to 6 and 8 to 10 p. m., to which we thank the managers for complimentary tickets. This is one of the most famous pictures in all the world and has been exhibited in all the great capitals of Europe to thousands on thousands of delighted people.

— The Phalanx under command of Capt. Conn made a fine appearance when doing escort duty for the Veterans on Memorial Day. They can't scare up much likelier military companies anywhere than the Phalanx is. The new officers are all right too.

— Miss Marion I. Smith, daughter of Mr. Rufus Smith, and Miss Lizzie Dodge, daughter of Mr. F. B. Dodge, all of Woburn, will graduate from Wellesley College on the 21st instant, they having already completed their studies at that famous seat of learning.

— Last Sunday night Ed. McMahon of this place gave John Quinlon of Somerville a neat thrashing on Charlestown Neck. Somerville stands no show with Woburn in exhibitions of the "manly art of self-defence." Both men were taken to the lock-up by officious cops.

FOURTH OF JULY. The 4th of July Committee of 1884, which was made a perpetual one, are notified to meet in the Board of Trade Rooms at 8 o'clock sharp this, Friday, evening, to canvass the matter of a celebration this year. As the business will be important a full meeting is desired.

— About 7 o'clock last Tuesday evening Officer Claffy found the son of Mr. James McMahon lying in front of Cuneo's fruit stand on Walnut street in an insensible condition and took him home. It seems the lad is subject to fits and had probably fallen in one just before Officer Claffy came along.

— In giving the names of the officers of the Woburn Home for Aged Women we unintentionally omitted the name of Miss Ruth Maria Leathe, who is the Collector of the Corporation, and Miss E. B. Plympton and of Mrs. Helen C. Hanson, who are the Auditors. The omission was an error in copying the names of the officers.

— Over 1000 people visited the Salem street cemetery on Memorial Day, many of them bearing flowers with which to decorate the graves of dead relatives and friends. The lots, grounds, walks, etc. are in excellent condition and are looking very finely at the present time. The Commissioners give the cemetery the best of care.

— The Social Benevolent Society of the Congregational church will give a FREE strawberry festival in the vestry of the church on next Thursday evening. An entertainment is also in contemplation for the same time. As the strawberries and cream and other good things will be free it will be a wonder if the vestry is not filled with people—mostly by young folks.

— The St. Charles and Sun Electric baseball clubs played a good game near Walnut Hill last Monday afternoon, which was won by the former which is gaining quite a reputation as players. The score stood 15 for the St. Charles to 4 for the Electric fellows, who, while they are very handy with bat and ball, failed to overcome the skill and prowess of their opponents on this occasion.

— When Chief Nelson returned from his fishing trip to Parlin Pond, Somerset County, Maine, the other day, he brought along those trout for the JOURNAL, and a taste for the rest of the neighbors. They were excellent and the consumption of them was greatly enjoyed by all those who had the good fortune to get a bite, of which Editor Allen was not one. We publicly return thanks to Chief Nelson for the generous mess of "speckled beauties."

— Mr. John O'Brien fell dead of heart disease in G. A. R. Hall last Thursday evening. As a member of Post 33 he was attending a meeting and appeared to be in his customary health but while conversing with some of the comrades suddenly fell from his chair and expired. His funeral was largely attended by the veterans and others on Sunday. Mr. O'Brien served in the Fourth Heavy Artillery during the war. He left a widow and two children to mourn his sudden death.

— Mr. L. H. Chadbourne has bought out Prior & Mann's boot and shoe store, 197 Main street, and will hereafter carry on the business at the old stand. He proposes to conduct a first-class establishment of the kind and keep full lines of the very best quality of goods. This week he advertises a big cut-down in prices, as will be seen by referring to our business columns, which people will do well to take advantage of. Mr. Chadbourne intends to keep a No. 1 boot and shoe store and sell goods at very low prices.

— Dr. Blackstone, our new dentist, began the study of dentistry some thirteen years ago with the late J. Gardner Ambler, of 25 W. 23d street, New York city, and remained with him over three years. During a trip in Europe he met and associated himself with Dr. Corbett, M. R. C. S. E., an eminent dentist of Dublin. After spending three years with him he returned to America and located in Boston in the fall of 1879. Having now settled permanently in Woburn he invites a call from any and all who appreciate fine dentistry.

— Of course a great many of our good people went to Boston and other places on Memorial Day but more of them staid at home than usual we should judge for there was a good deal of life on the streets all day which is not common on a holiday unless a celebration is going on here. Stay-at-homes remarked at intervals all day long that they didn't know when they had ever seen such a lively and pleasant Memorial Day in Woburn and seemed to think it was a good sign. The city attracts so powerfully that it is almost as much as one's life is worth to get through a holiday in the suburbs, but that was not the case here last Monday.

— Editor Allen is pushing the 4th of July celebration for all it is worth. Wherefore, we cannot imagine. Why anyone should hanker after such a thing with all its attendant labor, toil, anxiety, etc., is more than we make out. There is no money in it for anybody, and we can account for Editor Allen's enthusiasm on the subject only on the score of a very rapidly approaching second childhood. We should hope there might be other reasons for his desire to see the town turned upside down next Independence Day and this community driven mad by the noise and confusion of a general celebration, but it is a bad case of something, sure. If people want to follow his advice and celebrate let them do so: we have said our say concerning the topic.

— It seems as it used to when Chief Nelson first came to town. He is just more than going for them. Raids have been made as follows since our last issue: Bernard McHugh, William Wall, George Nelson, John G. McGovern, Thomas G. Merriam, George Nelson (2d time and arrested), Patrick E. Tenney, at all of which places beer and "hard stuff" were found except at McHugh's. It looks very much as if Chief Nelson and his aids "mean business," and it looks too as if Woburn has a Board of Selectmen with spinal columns that can't be bent this way and that by every passing breeze. They are men of character and standing in whose hands the interests of the town are safe.

— Mr. Woods, who bought the Hayward place near Walnut Hill Station last year and now lives on it, has a colt which is without doubt the best one in New England if not in the country. He was born July 11, 1886, weighs over 600 pounds, and is just as handsome as a picture. He comes from some of the fastest and best-bred trotting stock in America and is a credit to his ancestors. A Boston gentleman and turfman who had recently been through all of the largest and most noted stables in Kentucky was out here to see Mr. Wood's colt a few days since, and after carefully looking him over pronounced him superior in every point to any colt of his age that he had seen in that State. He's a fine one, sure.

— The circus folks were obliged to go away out near Walnut Hill station, at a spot popularly known as "The Frog Hole," to find a place to spread their tents. It is nearly a mile away from the Common but it was the best they could do. It seems as though there ought to be grounds to hold a circus on nearer the Centre than Walnut Hill. But the street railway will be completed and in running order by the morning of the 8th instant and that will make going to the circus easy and pleasant. Cars will make frequent extra trips all the afternoon and evening for the accommodation of people who want to attend the great show, so it will not make much difference whether it is to be held at Walnut Hill or on the Common so long as the street railroad is on hand early and often to take folks to and from it.

— A large company of friends assembled at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Murdock on the corner of East and High street last Saturday evening to celebrate in an appropriate manner the 25th anniversary of the marriage of that estimable pair, or to observe their Silver Wedding, as it is more popularly called, and they all had a very nice time indeed. The well-lighted and pleasant parlors of their residence were filled with ladies and gentlemen who know and esteem Mr. and Mrs. Murdock by whom the evening was spent in such ways as suited them best and contributed most to their happiness. There was an excellent spread of which all partook with relish and satisfaction. The host and hostess were the recipients of many valuable and beautiful silver presents the receipt of which they gratefully acknowledged in fitting terms. At the close of a delightful evening the party broke up and the members repaired to their homes.

— There was an agreeable social affair at Mr. L. B. Russell's stiffening shops last Tuesday afternoon which was participated in by all the hands in the establishment. In view of his early marriage Mr. Daniel F. McIntosh, foreman of the establishment, was presented with a handsome sideboard and an elegant silver pitcher by the employees. About 3 o'clock in the afternoon the factory was shut down and search at once instituted for foreman McIntosh. He was soon found and brought to face a large gathering of young women and men, which ordeal he passed through without quailing. Mr. James L. Pinkham at the proper time stepped forth and in an appropriate speech presented Mr. McIntosh, in behalf of his fellow employees, the fine gifts above mentioned. The happy recipient of these handsome tokens of their esteem for their overseer accepted them in a few words of thanks when the agreeable affair closed and all resumed their wonted duties.

— At the regular meeting of the School Committee, Tuesday evening, all were present but Dr. Harlow.——Communications were received from Misses Lillie G. Walker, Susan M. Frye, Mary E. Naven, Mary A. Lyons, Annie B. Atwood, Nellie A. Walker, Helen L. Parker, Mary J. McEleney and Annie Caulfield.——The Committee on Repairs and Supplies made a report concerning certain matters which had been referred to them.——The Superintendent's report was read and ordered on file. The fixing of the date of the High School Exhibition was postponed for one week.——The Special Committee on Salaries made a report which was unanimously adopted.——It was then voted that, for the ensuing year, there be four teachers in the High School; one principal, one submaster, and two lady assistants, and that the consideration of appointments be postponed for one week.——The usual bills were approved.——It was voted to adjourn to Tuesday, June 7, 1887, at which meeting the appointments of teachers in schools will be considered.

— Officer Thomas Mulkeen has virtually finished taking the school census of this town and made his report to the JOURNAL, as has been his annual custom for some years past. It is something of a job, but Officer Mulkeen has made the rounds and finished the work in good season. His report is as follows: Number of children in Woburn between the ages of 5 and 15, which is the school age, 2,775, which is a gain of 138 over last year: number of children between the ages of 15 and 16, 250: number of children under 5 years of age, 1,425: total number of children in this town under 16 years old, 4,450, which is a gain of about 200 over last year. A thorough cleaning up of the work by the officer will result in adding a few to these figures and swelling the grand total slightly. This enumeration of the children of the town of school age and the increase disclosed by it proves that Woburn is growing right along. Mr. Mulkeen has found an annual increase of about 100 for several years, and the census of the Assessors just completed agrees with and supports his report in every substantial respect. The showing is a gratifying one.

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The East Middlesex Street Railway.

Grading, tieing and track-laying on the East Middlesex (Stoneham) Street Railway are being vigorously pushed by the contractors and although, on account of unavoidable delay in receiving the necessary iron from the New York merchants, the completion of the line may be delayed somewhat still it is believed that it will be finished in season to secure a large amount of this summer's beach and other travel. As readers of the JOURNAL have learned from its columns, this street railroad when completed will extend from Main street, Woburn, through Stoneham, Melrose, Malden and Saugus, to Lynn, and therefore cannot but become at once the most popular and best patronized of any line in the suburbs of Boston. It will run over a country unsurpassed in natural attractions, diversified with a great variety of charming landscape consisting of woods, hills and pleasant valleys, through handsome villages and rural neighborhoods, to the sea. From Woburn or elsewhere along the line it will afford one of the most delightful rides that can anywhere be enjoyed.

Work on the construction of the road began at Main street, this village, last Monday morning by a large crew of hands. On Tuesday morning ground was broken at Stoneham and building was commenced in this direction. Already there were employed on the construction gangs at Melrose and Cliftondale, so that work is going on rapidly all along the line, and soon the cars will be running from one end of it to the other.

Besides the numerous cars already received by the Company a firm of builders in Troy, N. Y., has an order for immediate delivery in Woburn for thirty more open summer cars of the best make and all modern improvements. These will arrive as they are needed by the Company. For the horses four great stables are in process of building along the line—one 50-horse stable, one 60, one 140, and another equally capacious. Thus it will be seen the road and equipments are to be first class in every respect. No better or handsomer cars are to be seen anywhere than here, the horses are of the best, and everything is in metropolitan style and shape.

To the money and enterprise of Mr. A. F. Breed, the President; Mr. F. H. Monks, the Treasurer; Mr. B. Hinckley, our townsman; and a wide-awake Board of Directors, Woburn is indebted for this superb line of street railway, and to its superior management hereafter they will be indebted to Mr. Gilman F. Jones, the Superintendent.

Among curious suggestions made for the celebration of the Queen's Jubilee is the proposal that precisely at noon on June 21 private individuals should play on pianos or other instruments, "God Save the Queen," and that all the bands of the kingdom should publicly produce the national anthem. It would probably be the greatest chorus ever known of that particular song.

City Charter.

The Woburn JOURNAL says very few citizens of that town oppose the plan of making it a city. On May 1, there were 12,760 people there. The JOURNAL suggests that the Quincy plan be followed, the draft of a charter being discussed in public meeting. Woburn as a city would join a noble fellowship.—*Boston Record.*

A fairly careful canvass warrants the statement that nearly everyone interested in the welfare of our town approves of the plan of an early movement in the direction of changing its form of government and to that end believes it best to call a Town Meeting as soon as practicable to take the initiatory steps. Naturally there will be developed many conflicting opinions as to the form and substance of a charter which it will be necessary to harmonize before the meeting of the Legislature so that when our appeal is made to that body we may be able to give them what we want and have agreed on for an organic law, and in this way have our petition granted at an early day in the session.

The first step in this direction will be to select a good, solid committee to draw up a charter after having properly deliberated on the subject and utilized all the information gained, and when completed to present it to the citizens at an adjourned meeting for consideration, debate, amendment if necessary, and so forth. Of course we all understand how the thing is to be done and this item is not printed with a view of imparting information or giving advice on points involved in the work but merely to suggest that the business can not be commenced any too soon if the charter is to be promptly obtained next winter. We believe an early Town Meeting advisable and would therefore recommend that one be held and the committee set to work.

Advertising that Pays.

"I find that advertisements are often unreliable, that you don't always find things just as represented. In fact, I have come to look upon those who are continually advertising to sell goods at less than cost with suspicion," said a lady in our hearing the other day. There is a good deal of truth in the lady's remark. How much better for merchants to represent their wares just as are. To charge a fair profit on all they sell. The dealer who offers to sell sugar or any standard article for less than it can be bought for at wholesale must overcharge on other goods. The fair and square way is the best and most successful. We could name many who have always practised this rule. A prominent house that never advertises anything they have not, is Brine & Norcross, of Tremont and Washington Sts. Boston; whatever they say in the press concerning their goods can be relied upon. The public know this, and the immense business they do proves that they have the right way of doing it.—*Cambridge Chronicle.*

It has hitherto been supposed that the highest mountain in the world was Mt. Everest, one of the Himalayan range, which is 20,000 feet high, but this honor is now claimed for Mt. Hercules in New Guinea, which soars to the tremendous altitude of 32,786 feet or five times that of Mt. Washington in New Hampshire—one mile.

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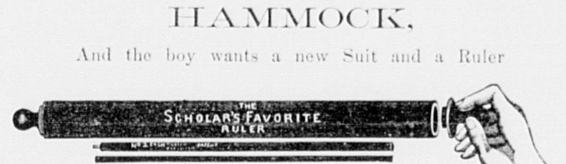
And the boy wants a new Suit and a Ruler



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A Good Meeting.

On Sunday, June 22, the W. C. T. U. held a very interesting Gospel service at the Almshouse. The singing conducted by Mr. Abijah Thompson was a pleasant feature of the hour. Miss Taylor conducted a Bible reading, which was enjoyed and listened to with the closest attention. The attention given to the services by the inmates was very pleasant to observe. Mr. Brown, the courteous gentleman at the head of this institution, had many kind words of welcome and invitations to renew the visit were given.

The W. C. T. U. would take this opportunity to thank Mr. and Mrs. Brown and all who helped to make the meeting so profitable.

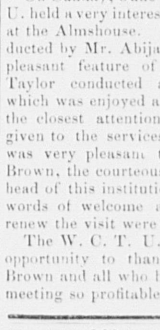
Married.

In Woburn, June 1, by Rev. Daniel March, Charles E. Sutherland and Carrie Russell, all of Woburn.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, May 26, John O'Brien, aged 60 years.
In Woburn, May 26, Mrs. Millie F. Allen, 33 years, 6 months, 19 days.
In Woburn, May 26, Annie Davis, 3 months.
In Woburn, May 26, Jone Babine, 10 months.
In Woburn, May 28, Edward Weafer, 1 day.
In Woburn, May 29, Isabella Converse, 30 years, 4 months, 23 days.
In Woburn, May 29, Mary Barr, 22 years.
In Woburn, May 31, Frank McDonough, 15 years, 8 months, 19 days.



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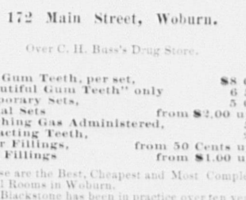

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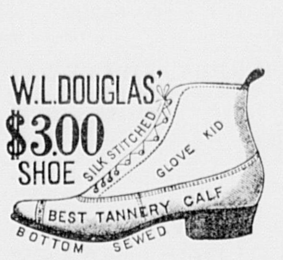

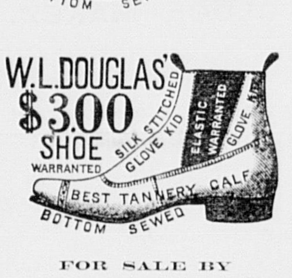

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Mr. Walbridge, of the well-known Boston mercantile house, is building himself a fine residence here. He will probably get into it before long.

The officers of A. D. Weld Post, 148, G. A. R., are: Commander, Edwin Robinson; S. V. C., Joseph McConville; J. V. C., G. S. Butters; Adjt., W. A. Snow; Q. M., R. S. Carr; Surgeon, F. Winsor; Chaplain, P. Mahar; S. M., O. S. Palmer; Q. M. S., H. Parker, 2d.

There seems to be a building boom of larger dimensions than common here this season. Houses, and fine ones too, are going up in all parts of the town but more particularly on the west side. Winchester is one of the most desirable of Boston's suburbs for residence, and is every year growing more so.

There was no perceptible difference between the manner of observing Memorial Day here this year and in years that are past and gone. The customary exercises of decorating the graves of soldiers and sailors with flowers were duly observed but no particular display was made over them. It is a solemn occasion the best way you can fix it, and take it all in all the day itself is not one for merry-making properly speaking. A large number of our people went into the city to celebrate, some to Mount Auburn, a few to Forest Hills, and many others spread themselves out over the suburbs, the beaches and places of public resort and pleasure. Gen. John L. Swift of Boston delivered the Memorial Day oration Monday evening, which is tantamount to saying that it was full of the fire of eloquence, patriotism and poetry, for Gen. Swift is a master of all these qualifications of a true orator. Ever since the organization of the society of the G. A. R. and Memorial Day he has been in great demand for orations on Decoration Day and as a patriotic citizen has always been willing and ready to respond favorably to such calls when able to do so. He gave us a grand oration on Monday evening, and may he live to give a great many more of the same sort.

The tennis tourney here last Monday was a big affair. You know of course that there is an organization known and recognized as "The Middlesex Tennis League" which comprises some half a dozen or more local tennis clubs and that the League has a tourney on the tapis. The first games were commenced here at 9 o'clock last Monday morning on the Wedgemere Tennis Club's field, a delightful spot of sward nestled among the trees not far from the grassy margin of Wedge Pond, and finished, by adjournment, on last Wednesday afternoon. Clubs of the League were represented at the tourney, to wit, the Lowell, Reading Melrose, Woburn, Winchester, Reading, Somerville, and Tufts College, by numerous members, and these with the invited guests formed a large party. It was quite a brilliant gathering too. The fashion of Winchester and *elite* of neighboring towns were very plenty on the grounds, and in them were embraced many beautiful and richly attired young women who exhibited a lively interest in the games played and evidently would have taken a hand in them with much pleasure. Winchester's younger circles can turn out as much of *beau monde* and of as pure a strain as any town in Middlesex county, and a great deal of it was on the tennis field that day. The ladies looked beautiful, and no mistake, and great attentions were paid them by the young gentlemen in white woolen knickerbockers and crushed-strawberry prunellas, and other gay society gallants who came to witness the games and enjoy the company of the fair maidens of this and other places. The playing was excellent, so good judges said, and the fortunes of the players was varied. Some of the best tennis experts anywhere about here participated in the games of the tourney, and their playing was warmly applauded all the way through. On Monday the games stood thus, and there standing on Wednesday will be alluded to hereafter:

In the doubles, the Bowden brothers won from Elder and Carter, the score being 5—6, 6—4 and 6—3. Hemmenway and Wood won from Richards and Brown, 6—0, 6—2.

Dorsey and Farrington vs. Lewis and Davis—score, 6—1, 6—4, 6—0, the latter winning.

Bowden and Bowden vs. Brown and Prentiss—the latter winning—score, 6—4, 6—4.

Raymond and Lincoln vs. Shattuck and Tyler, former successful, 6—2, 6—4.

The final and most interesting and exciting of the day's games was between C. M. Hemmingway and E. F. Woods of Somerville and Farrington and Cumnock of Lowell, resulting in victory for the former team by 6 to 4.

The officers of the League are President, Samuel J. Elder of Winchester; Secretary and Treasurer, Willis Farrington of Lowell; executive committee, S. J. Elder, Willis Farrington, E. F. Woods of Somerville, W. E. Blodgett of Woburn, E. C. Fletcher of Melrose, H. L. Prentiss of Reading, L. R. Lewis of Tufts College, S. S. White of Wakefield.

BURLINGTON.

A base ball game between the Billerica and Burlington clubs last Monday afternoon resulted in a victory for the Billerica boys.

The soldiers' graves in the cemetery were decorated on Memorial Day, and the owners of many of the lots adorned them with plants and flowers.

The Sunday School have in preparation a fine concert exercise for Children's Day.

Among a lot of autographs and curios sold in London on Saturday was a letter from Eugene Aram, written in jail to a clergyman and authenticated by the elder Bulwer; a box made from the top beam of Aram's gallows; one of the malefactor's ribs and a portion of his victim's skull, each also duly authenticated, and a folio volume of Plato, with marginal notes in Aram's writing. They were bought for $950 for Henry Irving, whose "Aram" first made his fame. There were also autographs from Cardinal Richelieu, Robespierre and Rougot de Lisle, author of the "Marseillaise."

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Tennis.

Fine weather, excellent courts, and good playing contributed to make the first tournament of the Middlesex County Tennis League, held on the Wedgemere grounds of Winchester, a decided success. As the Woburn Lawn Tennis Club is one of the eight of which the League is composed, and as its members were not disheartened by their defeat of Monday last, but intend to put a team into the fall tourney, the JOURNAL will briefly give an account of the meet, as it intends to keep its patrons informed of the doings of the club this season.

There were a goodly number of entries, twenty for the singles and even pairs of doubles, every club but the Wakefield being represented. Among both players and spectators there seemed to be a general feeling that when the Somerville contingent had gotten in their little work the prospect of any prizes going elsewhere unless the Lowell pair, Farrington and Cumnock, won in the doubles, was extremely shadowy. This the Lowell men tried valiantly to do and their event with the Somerville pair, Woods and Hemenway, was the game of the day, attracting much interest and applause, being finally won by Somerville 6—5, 4—6, 6—4.

Neither the singles nor doubles could be finished for want of time, and at this writing it is not known when they will come off. E. F. Wood of Somerville and Carter of Winchester, each having won all their events, are to contest for the prize for singles, a silver pitcher, with the strong probability that it will fall to the former, and the same Woods with Hemenway, his partner, will doubtless win in the doubles, against their opponents, also from Somerville.

Woburn was well represented, in the audience. Of her two contestants J. Warren Ellard drew in hard luck, as he had to meet the strongest man on the grounds, and was defeated two straight sets. W. E. Blodgett drew a steady young player from Reading and was defeated 6—3, 3—6, 6—2.

With four as good courts as can be found in the county and some very promising new material, the W. L. T. C. will another season send to the League meet a team animated more by the reasonable hope of some measure of victory rather than from a desire to see the club represented.

Wilmington.

Mr. Hiram Bancroft has purchased the new house which was built last season by Mr. Howard Horton.

I am glad to learn that the new member of our Board of Selectmen has the courage and energy to protect the rights of the community against too avaricious persons who fence off the highways to enlarge their corner lots.

I hope that our Selectmen will demand and insist upon having the approaches to the Railroad bridges left in better condition.

The "new school house" question has taken new life. There is a warrant for another town meeting to be held next Tuesday evening and it is thought by many that the project will be killed outright. It is threatened that if the new house is not built there will be another effort made to have the West school house moved down toward the Lowell Depot.

I learn with much regret that Dr. Hiller has decided to postpone the building of his new residence.

As Mr. Othniel Eames was riding with his son in Methuen last Monday their horse became unmanageable, upset the wagon and threw Mr. Eames out. He was taken to the residence of Mr. H. C. Nevens where he was kindly cared for and a physician called who found that he had sustained a fracture of one rib and received many other painful bruises. Still he was able to be brought home that night.

An Offering for Bible Study and Gospel Work in Summer.

DEAR PASTORS AND FELLOW CHRISTIANS:

We know how many calls there are to promote the kingdom of Christ, but there are many who desire to know the truth of God, and hope to use it for others. We ask you therefore, on the first Sunday in Summer, June 5th, or later, to make an offering for Bible study and Gospel work, by taking a subscription or collection for the Bible Conference Building at Crescent Beach, Revere, 4 miles from Boston. The Conference was started a year ago by Young Men's Christian Associations, but last summer and hereafter must be carried on by Christians at large. The building will be adapted for Bible study, and will be headquarters from which will go out preachers and gospel workers to hold up Christ along a summer run-way, where 50,000 people pass on Sundays. It will give a rapidly growing population a church home in winter, and will neutralize the influence of the saloon where it is specially seductive. Seven thousand eight hundred and eighty dollars are needed for this work. Will pastors assist by reading this and receiving offerings.

We believe that this Bible Conference will be antecedent to a lay college, in the immediate neighborhood, where young men and women will be thoroughly fitted for all kinds of executive work as pastor, assistants, evangelists, missionaries and gospel workers. Subscriptions can be sent to Dea. E. B. HOOPER, 32 Faneuil Hall Market, Boston. Rev. J. P. Bixby, Rev. W. H. Thurston, Rev. M. R. Deming, Russell Sturgis, Jr., F. O. Winslow, H. M. Moore, Geo. H. Shaw, W. S. Martin, Collector, E. B. Hooper, Treasurer, Francis Batcheler, Committee.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching at 10.30 a. m., by George H. Young.

CONGREGATIONAL.—Rev. Mr. Seymour of Winchester will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; Monthly Concert. Missionary Reports at 7 p. m. The usual meeting Wednesday evening. Christian Endeavor Friday evening.

METHODIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Communion at 2.30 p. m. Young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; General prayer service at 6 p. m. Chautauqua Circle Tuesday evening, the last of the season. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. General Class Friday evenings.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Communion service at 2.30 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening young people's meeting.

Boils, pimples, hives, ringworm, tetter, and all other manifestations of impure blood are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The Chattanooga *Times* (Dem.) states that there are in the South no less than sixteen dailies and not less than one hundred weeklies for protection, and claims that they control fully three-fourths of the newspaper circulation south of the Ohio and Potomac. Thirteen years ago the Chattanooga *Times* was the only advocate of protection in that region. Times have changed rapidly.

Literary Notices.

WATSON'S ILLUMINATOR for this month is just as mirthful as ever. It is the best publication to drive away the blues that we know of.

THE NEW MOON for June fully maintains its character for general excellence. The contents are all fresh, timely and interesting. Published by The New Moon Co., Lowell, Mass.

THE MUSICAL RECORD for June is received and found to contain many good things. The music this month is by popular authors and of the best quality. This sterling musical magazine is published by O. Ditson & Co., Boston.

OUR LITTLE ONES for June is a beauty. The pictures are numerous and of the best make, while the stories and other things are all written by able pens for the especial pleasure and instruction of the small folks. OUR LITTLE ONES is published by the Russell Pub. Co., Boston, every month.

GOLDEN DAYS is a monthly magazine "for boys and girls" published by James Elverson at Philadelphia, the June issue of which is a good one. Each number is profusely illustrated, and the literary contents are of a high moral tone and free from anything that could warp the hearts and minds of the young. The Sunday School lessons of the month which are published in the GOLDEN DAYS are worth more than the price of the monthly.

The frontispiece of the June CENTURY is a striking portrait of Count Leo Tolstoi, the Russian novelist, engraved by Thomas Johnson from a photograph and presenting a personality of a unique and homely yet fascinating type, the impression of which upon an American is recorded by Mr. George Kennan in a paper entitled "A Visit to Count Tolstoi." This account is the forerunner of a remarkable series of papers which are to appear in THE CENTURY MAGAZINE, making record of a hazardous trip to Siberia in 1885 and 1886 by Mr. Kennan in the interest of THE CENTURY, for the purpose of investigating the Russian exile system. Mr. Kennan's present paper gives a graphic description of Count Tolstoi and his home, and sets forth some of the novelists peculiar religious and social opinions as elaborated in conversation.

In Mrs. Van Rensselaer's series of papers on the great English cathedrals, the account of Canterbury, which has been received with marked favor by the American and English press, is followed this month by a critical and descriptive study of Peterborough, the details and general effect of which are made clear by Mr. Pennell's drawings, including full-page views of the lofty west front and of the north side.

The most important of the remaining papers are: College Boating, Boat-Racing by Amateurs, a continuation of Abraham Lincoln, A History, Jack, From the Wilderness to Cold Harbor, Hand-to-hand fighting at Spottsylvania, all of which are profusely and handsomely illustrated. The Editorial Departments are unusually full and interesting.

Paris is soon to celebrate the semi-centennial of its first railroad train. The first-class carriages were of the pattern still in use; the second class were opened and furnished with curtains to keep off the sun and with nets to guard against accidents. Hunting horns were played by the guards in place of steam whistles now in use.

Salmon are becoming alarmingly scarce on the Pacific coast. This is attributed to the catfish, which abound and which live upon salmon spawn.

Dr. MARK R. WOODBURY'S

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The Michigan Legislature has passed a bill requiring persons intending to marry to secure a license from the County Clerk, calling for a certificate of consent from the parents or guardians if either of the contracting parties is a minor, and compelling magistrate, and ministers to make returns of all marriages solemnized by them.

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Our graves with our teeth" is a trite but true saying. CHIPMAN'S PILLS relieve indigestion and cure contingent disorders, such as sick headache, biliousness, etc. They are purely vegetable; mild and pleasant in their action, Try them. For sale by all druggists.

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I have used Ayer's Sarsaparilla, in my family, for Scrofula, and know, if it is taken faithfully, it will thoroughly eradicate this terrible disease.—W. F. Fowler, M. D., Greenville, Tenn.

For forty years I have suffered with Erysipelas. I have tried all sorts of remedies for my complaint, but found no relief until I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. After taking ten bottles of this medicine I am completely cured.—Mary C. Amesbury, Rockport, Me.

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Royal Society of Good Fellows

Which was to have been instituted last Wednesday night will meet on **Monday, June 6**, at 7.30 p. m. at G. A. R. HALL, Post 33.

All will take notice and be on hand sharp.

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TOWN OF WOBURN.

Board of Health Regulations.

ISSUED JUNE, 1887.

Extracts from the Public Statutes of Massachusetts, Chapter 80.

"The Board of Health shall make such regulations as it judges necessary for the public health and safety. Whoever violates any such regulations shall forfeit a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars."

In compliance with the foregoing statutory provisions, and believing that a great amount of good may be done by timely and energetic abatement of all nuisances, the Board of Health of the town hereby issue the following regulations:—

REGULATION 1.—Ordered that all putrid or decaying vegetables or animal matter be removed forthwith from all vaults, privies, cellars and out-houses, and either buried or deposited at least ten rods from any highway, dwelling-house or public building in this town, and covered with dry earth.

REG. 2.—Ordered that the contents of all privy vaults and cess-pools in the thickly-populated districts of this town shall be removed during the night time, *viz:* between the hours of ten o'clock, P. M., and four o'clock, A. M., and that all persons so removing night-soil or refuse of any kind which emits an offensive odor, must have their carts tight to prevent leakage, and effectually covered and not stopped more than five minutes on any street within ten rods of any dwelling-house, except for loading and unloading; and no person shall empty any cess-pool or closet without the consent of the Board of Health.

REG. 3.—The Board will order the removal of all swine, goats, or other animals where their presence appears to be prejudicial to the public health and comfort.

REG. 4.—Ordered that no privy vaults be opened except for purposes of disinfection, or by consent of the Board of Health.

REG. 5.—Ordered that all tanneries, glue manufactories or other manufactories from which arise an offensive odor, be kept clean and that covered receptacles be provided by the proprietors for the deposits of filth that flow from them.

REG. 6.—Ordered that all slaughter-houses be kept clean and that all the offal therein be removed daily.

REG. 7.—Ordered that no fish, garbage, house or store offal, water or brine, containing blood, refuse animal or vegetable matter, shall be thrown upon or into any street, lane, yard or gutter, and that all persons are hereby notified to desist from such practices, and ordered to deposit the same in tight vessels having a tight-fitting cover, and if not properly buried on the premises, the same shall be removed not less often than once every forty-eight hours, at least ten rods from any house or highway and covered with dry earth.

REG. 8.—Ordered that there shall not be sold or offered for sale any decayed or unripe fruit or decayed or unfit meat, or adulterated milk, or milk from improperly fed or diseased animals.

REG. 9.—Ordered that no sink or sewer drain or water closet shall empty into any street gutter, or upon the surface of any sidewalk, street, alley or lane in this town.

REG. 10.—Ordered when any physician is called to attend upon a person in this town sick with small-pox, scarletina, or other contagious disease dangerous to the public health, the said physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Board of Health. Said notice shall contain the name of the person sick, the name of the disease, the name of the householder, and the street on which the sick person resides, and all physicians are requested to immediately report fatal termination of any case.

REG. 11.—Any householder in whose family any case of contagious disease occurs, shall immediately give notice to the Board of Health, and use all reasonable measures to prevent infection of others.

REG. 12.—No owner or occupant of any dwelling-house in the town of Woburn, shall keep or permit to be kept, any fowl, swine, goats or other animals, in any room or cellar of said dwelling.

REG. 13.—Parties can have their vaults and cess-pools cleaned by leaving their order and $2.00 for each with the Chief of Police; where more than one lord is to be taken from each vault or cess-pool, $2.00 for each load must be left. No order will be received without the money accompanying it.

The inhabitants are earnestly requested to co-operate with the Board in carrying out the foregoing regulations and thereby secure healthy sanitary conditions.

The Board takes the liberty to suggest further that that the people avoid the unnecessary use of water, which, in the absence of proper drainage will saturate the soil in the vicinity of their houses to a dangerous degree; and also to suggest the daily use of dry earth or sifted ashes to cover the contents of privies, or open receptacles of sink water, to absorb poisonous gases and prevent exhalations.

Whereas the diseases designated as small-pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, typhus fever and cholera are contagious and dangerous to the public health, and have been, and may easily be contracted at funerals from dead bodies or apartments which have been infected by such diseases, it is therefore Ordered, that from and after this date, no public funeral shall be held over the remains of any person having died of small-pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, cholera or typhus fever, without the written permit of the Board of Health; and under such regulations as may prevent the spread of said diseases.

Ordered, further, that the remains of persons dying of either of said diseases, shall at once be placed in a tight or sealed coffin, and shall not thereafter be exposed to view or disturbed except for burial.

Ordered, that no owner, driver, or other person having charge of any hackney carriage or other closed vehicle used as a public conveyance, shall receive, or permit to be placed, or convey in any manner, in or upon said carriage or other vehicle, any person sick or infected with the small-pox or any other contagious disease, or the body of any person who has died of small-pox or any other contagious disease.

The Board of Health directs special attention to small-pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria and typhus fever as being contagious, dangerous to the public health, and call attention to the duties of citizens and physicians as provided by Public Statutes.

The Board is fully aware that many individual cases of diphtheria and other contagious diseases occur without any spread of the disease; but during epidemics at least the rule is to the contrary, and there are no means of knowing what is safe, without taking precautions which a different course might, occasionally have proved to be unnecessary. They therefore at this time publish the sections of the law governing such cases, and hold all persons interested responsible. It is further desired that physicians should fill out the postal cards furnished by this Board.

SEC. 78.—When a householder knows that a person within his family is taken sick of small-pox or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the . . Board of Health of the town in which he dwells. If he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars.

SEC. 79.—When a physician knows that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with small-pox or any other disease dangerous to the public health he shall immediately give notice thereof to the . . Board of Health of the town; and if he refuses or neglects to give such notice he shall forfeit for each offence a sum not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars.

Per order of the Board of Health,
JOHN FERGUSON, Clerk.

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147 MAIN STREET.

Woburn, Mass.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners for the County of Middlesex:

The undersigned, citizens of the Town of Woburn, respectfully represent that the westerly line of Main street, in said town, between the northerly line of Kilby street and the southerly line of Chestnut street, is very crooked and the width of said Main street between said points unnecessarily wide.

Wherefore your petitioners pray that your Honors locate said line anew, and as in duty bound will ever pray.

H. B. HAYES and 11 others.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners for the County of Middlesex, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, to wit, by adjournment thereof, on the twenty-third of May, A. D., 1887:

On the foregoing petition, Ordered, that the Sheriff of said County, or his Deputy, give notice to all persons and corporations interested therein, that said Commissioners will meet for the purpose of viewing the premises and hearing the parties at the Selectmen's Room in Woburn, in said County, on Wednesday, the 29th day of June next, at nine o'clock and fifty-five minutes in the forenoon, by serving the clerk of the Town of Woburn with a copy of said petition and of this order thereon, thirty days at least before said view, and by publishing the same in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and also by posting the same in two public places in said town of Woburn, fourteen days before said view; and that he make return of his doings herein, to said Commissioners, at the time and place fixed for said view and hearing.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, 2d Ass't Clerk.

Copy of petition and order thereon.

Attest,
WM. C. DILLINGHAM, 2d Ass't Clerk.

A true copy. Attest:
JOHN E. TIDD, Deputy Sheriff.

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Sheriff's Sale.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,

MIDDLESEX, SS.

WOBURN, May 3, 1887.

Taken on execution, and will be sold at public auction, Saturday, June 11, A. D., 1887, at four o'clock in the afternoon, at my office, No. 194 Main street, in said Woburn, all the right, title and interest, liable to be taken on execution, that George P. Bartlett, of said Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, had on the second day of September, A.D., 1886 (being the time when the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following described parcel of real estate, to wit:—A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon standing, containing about 10,162 square feet, situated on Pleasant street, in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, bounded and described as follows, viz:—Southerly by Pleasant street, there measuring 63 feet; Westerly, by land of Abbie Mead and Mary C. Eager, there measuring about 147 feet; Northerly, on a private street, there measuring 63 feet; Easterly, on land formerly owned by J. B. Winn, there measuring 166 feet; being the same premises conveyed by Theodore Harrington, Charles E. Raymond, and Edwin B. Hale (Trustees) to said George P. Bartlett, by deed, dated March 17, 1885, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1697, Page 283, and by Alpha E. Thompson, by deed, dated March 20, 1885, recorded with said deeds, Book 1697, Page 285, subject to two mortgages, now held by Edward D. Hayden.

JOHN E. TIDD, Deputy Sheriff.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate given in trust under the will of Benjamin D. Osgood, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased:

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Arthur D. Osgood and Charles B. Osgood, two of the beneficiaries under said will have presented to said Court their petition praying that the trust under said will may be terminated and the said trust estate distributed among the beneficiaries free of the trust;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same. And said petitioners are ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of May, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven.

22-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, Creditors, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Mary E. Gilman, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to James Skinner of said Woburn:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

22-3 J. H. TYLER Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Ann Geary, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by James H. Conway, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

23-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

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Orders left at Buckman & White's Grocery Store, 209 Main Street, will be promptly attended to.

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Woburn, Jan. 18, 1886.

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Woman's Column.

SUPERFLUOUS WOMEN.

Yes, there are plenty of them, and of superfluous men also. But you will not always find them among the unmarried. *They* are superfluous women who give themselves to idle pleasure and morbid fancy, and despise the activities of the age into which they are born; who are so lacking in principle that they will accept any man in marriage—an octogenarian, an imbecile or a *debauche*—if his establishment be satisfactory; who, anchored in the haven of a husband's love, and surrounded by the evidences of his practical thoughtfulness, become steeped in selfishness, and make their whole life a hot pursuit of folly and fashion, interested only in the whim of the hour.

Let the estimate of woman be changed so that she may be valued for what she is in herself. If she be worthless as woman, she will be worthless as wife and mother. Let her training be such that, whether married or single, she shall have character, ability to stand alone, with value in herself. Then will she enrich society, and whether wife, mother or celibate, she will, in no true sense of the word, ever become a "superfluous woman."—*Mrs. Livermore.*

Grace Greenwood says: "I believe that for one woman whom the pursuits of literature, the ambition of authorship, and the love of fame have rendered unfit for home life, a thousand have been made undomestic by poor social strivings, the follies of fashion and the intoxicating destinction which mere personal beauty confers."

The young women of Newton, N. J., have formed a league and pledged themselves to refuse the attentions of young men who use alcohol or tobacco.

Mrs. Daniels, wife of Capt. Daniels of the "Water Lily," has been licensed as pilot of that Steamer. She is forty-two years old, and is believed to be the only woman pilot in the country, though two women have been licensed as captains.

Miss Mary Tillinghast is one of the most successful among the women who have made a business of decorative art. Vanderbilt once paid her $30,000 for inventing a new kind of tapestry hangings for his house. She supplied the designs for the stained-glass window just erected in Grace Church, N. Y., representing Jacob's Dream. This is said to be the first piece of cathedral art in this country ever intrusted to a woman.

The first attempt, in the United States, to give women a higher education, was when Oberlin College, in 1834, opened its doors to the sisters of its young men students. Three years later Mt. Holyoke Seminary was established. In 1865 Vassar College was opened. Ten years later Smith College in Northampton, and Wellesley College, near Boston, were both opened. And in February, 1879, Harvard College offered to women a separate course of study similar to that prescribed for the young men. It is said that today the United States colleges contain 18,000 women students.

Elizabeth Stuart Phelps is at work upon a woman suffrage novel, they say.

Miss Alice E. Freeman is announced to read a paper on "Colleges for Women" before the National Educational Association in Chicago in July.

WOMEN AGAINST WAR.

Madame Griess-Traut, of Paris, vice-president of the Association for the Improvement of the Condition of Women, is circulating a "Declaration of Women against War," as follows:

"We, the women of all lands, who constitute the half of mankind, but are systematically excluded from the councils of the men, hereby declare our abhorrence of the barbarous and cruel wars.

"We, from whom war takes all that unites us in life—father, sons, and hearth—we cannot see any real distinction between the murderer and the wholesale slaughterers who are crowned by society with glory and honor.

"We cannot shut our ears to the voice which says, 'Thou shalt not kill.'

"We who are held competent by society to undertake and carry out the most responsible obligations, have the special mission of teaching reconciliation, peace, and resignation.

"Our long silence on this matter of war makes us accomplices in this abominable contempt for human life, and in the destruction of brotherly love.

"We, therefore, solemnly protest against war as a detestable misuse of power, and in favor of the blissful and pacific mode of International Arbitration.

"We protest in the name of humanity, whose entire rights are violated, and of the fatherland which is bereft of its sons.

"In the name of families decimated or destroyed by war; in the name of morality, which is defied by war, we—women, mothers, and protectors of family life—we earnestly request all men to aid us in this great battle of civilization against barbarism.

"We address this appeal to the law-makers, that they may provide measures whereby the teachers of youth shall inculcate these principles, leading our sons to abhor war, bloodshed, and fratricide."

The above declaration has been addressed to the members of both chambers of the French Legislature.

Miss Octavia Hill, who has done so much to improve the condition of the London slums, purposes to erect a kind of palace of entertainment in Southwark for the poor people of that district.

"The last lot of Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam is nearly gone, and you had better make us another shipment of twenty-five gross. We have never sold any cough preparation that gives such universal satisfaction as Adamson's, and the demand is constantly increasing. Geo. C. Goodwin & Co., "New England Patent Medicine Warehouse, 36 and 38 Hanover Street, Boston."

The highest steeples in the world are those on the Cologne cathedral, and are 511 feet high. This cathedral is the largest piece of Gothic architecture in the world.

Our Dumb Friends.

MILLINERS VS. SPORTSMEN.

Under the above title the *Boston Globe* has something to say in behalf of the feather-workers and those who wear the products of their clever fingers, then arraigns for inconsistency some of the men who cried aloud against woman's cruelty.

If one asks hundreds of the sterner sex who join in this wild outcry against the cruelty of the women, how they intend to spend their vacations this summer or fall, ninety-nine out of every hundred will answer either "hunting" or "fishing," and in these two words lies the text of a mighty sermon. What is implied by them save the wilful, premeditated and unnecessary taking of the "happy and innocent little lives" about which these men waxed so eloquent a few months since? The plea so often made that these animals are killed for food is, in the vast majority of cases, not honest. The city man who spends days at the seashore with rod and line, or in whipping the inland lakes and trout streams, seldom needs for food what he takes. It is the "sport" which he is after; and this is as true of him who goes out with his rifle. He neither needs nor wishes for food, the tough, fish-flavored ducks nor the tiny sand-pipers which he shoots. His sole object and desire is to kill something, as he proves by blazing away at woodchucks, rabbits, chipmunks and robins, when no larger game offers itself. The poor fox who is hunted to so cruel a death is never used for food, and the list is almost endless of the poor, helpless, wild creatures, small and great, which people our mountains, forests and prairies with harmless, happy lives, and are annually sacrificed in great numbers to gratify the "sportman's" desire for recreation. Men enact game laws for the protection of various animals during the breeding season, and why? From considerations of love and mercy towards these helpless creatures! Well, not wholly. Game laws are made and enforced in order that hunters may not lose the sport of which they are so fond and for no other reason. * * * *

Let us be just to the women, and admit that on the score of cruelty the sportsman cannot afford to throw stones at the milliner.

NATURE AND MAN.

It is a question not easily to be settled where cruelty begins when one begins to regard animals as so much food and fair game for the sportsman. The love of animals is a source of culture to mind and heart. It is not impossible for the sportsman to keep his tender heart and his love for animals. It is possible for the pursuit of game to become a brutalizing pastime. No one can doubt that it ceases to be justifiable when it lowers the tone of the sportsman. * * * *

It is a puzzle to some that, while the love of animals is said to be humanizing, some of the most brutal men are those who associate on familiar terms with dogs and horses; but that which attracts them is commonly not the love of the creature but the love of the sport which the creature can furnish. Take away the gain and the excitement of the contests in which the animals suffer, and the love of animals would not appear to be a trait of brutal men.

Vacation will give something of a finer flavor to him who comes into such relations with the beauty of life about him that to kill and eat seems a species of cannibalism. To children who have reared pet animals, the killing of them seems like murder. Even the roosters of the brood, only fit for "broilers," the children who have fed them reject as food. This is a hint of the relations possible always between man and the brute. The man always improves by such relationship. His thought of nature is grander and stronger, and the pleasures he derives from it keener and finer when he enters into social relations with the life about him.—*Christian Register.*

That Tired Feeling

Afflicts nearly every one in the spring. The system having become accustomed to the bracing air of winter, is weakened by the warm days of the changing season, and readily yields to attacks of disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla is just the medicine needed. It tones and builds up every part of the body, and also expels all impurities from the blood. Try it this season.

There is a great need of May showers to bring forward the crops. The dusty roads make driving unpleasant and already the controversy has arisen about the question: Who will pay for the watering? A driving May storm would be welcomed.

The Excitement Not Over.

The rush at C. H. Buss's drug store still continues on account of persons afflicted with Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption, to procure a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is sold on a guarantee and is giving entire satisfaction. It is a standard family remedy. Price 50 cents and $1. Trial size free.

It is not generally known that Boston possesses a fine collection of the "oh-oh" feathers which have been noticed as one of the most prized possessions of Hawaiian royalty. In the Museum of Fine Arts there is an elegant coat composed entirely of the rare feathers.

The Great American Chorus.

Sneezing, snuffing and coughing! This is the music all over the land just now. "I've got such an awful cold in my head." Cure it with Ely's Cream Balm or it may end in the toughest form of Catarrh. May be you have catarrh now. Nothing is more nauseous and dreadful. This remedy masters it as no other ever did. Not a snuff nor a liquid. Pleasant, certain, radical.

The jubilee beggar ladies have become such a nuisance in London that they have been nick-named "Queen's cadgers." They go round bullying people into subscribing for the jubilee, and even rake in the servant girl for a shilling.

A sound body and a contented mind are necessary to perfect happiness. If you wish to possess these, cleanse your blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is perfectly safe to take, and is a thoroughly reliable, highly concentrated, and powerful blood purifier.

A Dakota organization has on its letter head these words: "Office of the Brule County Horse Racing Association, Successor to the Young Men's Christian Association."

WHERE AND HOW JET IS FOUND.

Claims of the Whitby People in Regard to Its Formation.

Jet is a shining black substance which is found in seams dissociated from other black minerals, and not in the coal regions of England, but in others, notably near Whitby, in Yorkshire. It occurs also in Saxony and in the amber districts on the Prussian shores of the Baltic. The scientists maintain that it is a variety of coal, but the Whitby folks adduce many circumstances that go to prove that it must have been at some time in a gummy or semi-liquid state quite unlike coal from ligneous sources. Bits of vegetable substances are often found imbedded in it, also flies' wings and other small articles, which favor the Whitby theory.

The stratum called jet rock is found mostly at Whitby, in a sort of shale, which, when distilled, yields ten gallons of oil a ton. The nature of the connection between this oil and jet cannot now be determined, though some connection evidently existed in past times. There is hard jet and soft jet, the former being the best. It occurs in detatched pieces, ranging in size from a domino up to those many pounds in weight. The largest piece ever found was six feet long, five inches wide and one and a half inches thick. The British museum refused to give ten guineas for it, but a dealer paid fifteen for it and cut it up into crisses of unusual size. How long jet, or black amber, as it was formerly called, has been worked at Whitby is not known, but certainly for many centuries.

In a tumulus or barrow near the town the skeleton of a lady was found, supposed to belong to the ancient British days, before the date of the Danish invasions, and with it were earrings of jet two inches long by a quarter of an inch thick. They were heart shaped, with a hole in the upper part for the wire. Jet possesses considerable electric qualities like amber. It was made into beads and rosaries in the middle ages by the monks. As a trade it had not much activity till the beginning of the present century. The Spaniards made beads and rosaries of the soft kind of jet, and when English ladies began to wear it in mourning the Whitby industry began to flourish. At first the workers used only knives and files, but Matthew Hill discovered a method of turning this brittle substance in a lathe. The largest find ever made was forty years ago, at North Batts, a spot in the neighborhood of Whitby, and consisted of 370 pieces of stones, valued at $1,250. The jet is picked up on the shore, at the foot of the cliffs, but this is of an inferior quality. A dangerous mode of obtaining it is to cut down the face of the cliff, until a jet seam is reached. It is also tunneled for twenty miles inland, near Bilsdale, in the Cleveland hills. The men rent the workings, as in the copper and tin mines of Cornwall, and they may work a month without coming across a bit of the precious stuff. The prices for the best hard jet is three shillings a pound; for the soft, one shilling. The Whitby variety is the finest known, as it is tougher and more elastic than any other, and admits of a higher polish. Many articles sold in the shops as Whitby jet are derived from the Pyrenees, and are liable to break through sudden heat or cold, which is due to a slight per cent. of sulphur in the Spanish variety.

He Loved His Dog.

In the greatest of the ancient Hindoo poems—the sacred book of the Mahabharata—there is a passage of exceptional beauty and tenderness, which records the reception of King Yudiauthira at the gate of Paradise. A pilgrim of the heavenly city, the king had traveled over vast spaces, and one by one the loved ones, the companions of his journey, had all fallen and left him alone, save his faithful dog, which still followed. He was met by Indra and invited to enter the holy city. But the king thinks of his friends who have fallen on the way and declines to go in without them. The god tells him they are all within, waiting for him. Joyful, he is about to seek them, when he looks upon the poor dog, who, weary and wasted, crouches at his feet, and asks that he, too, may enter the gate. Indra refuses, and thereupon the king declares that to abandon his faithful and dumb friend would be as great a sin as to kill a Brahmin.

Away with that felicity whose price is to abandon the faithful!
Never, come weal or woe, will I leave my faithful dog.
The poor creature, in fear and distress, has trusted in my power to save him:
Not, therefore, for life itself, will I break my plighted word.

In full sight of heaven he chooses to go to hell with his dog, and straightway descends, as he supposed, thither. But his virtue and faithfulness change his destination to heaven, and he finds himself surrounded by his old friends and in the presence of the gods, who thus honor and reward his humanity and unselfish love.—John G. Whittier.

The American Type.

The collection of portraits of Julius Cæsar in the February Scribner are specially noteworthy on account of the resemblance of the features to the American type. Take, for instance, plate 7, from the bust in the British museum. Is not this almost a perfect American face, such as one meets daily, and which abounds in New England? One very notable characteristic is the small chin. The American jaw and chin are supposed to be deteriorating, and yet here we find their prototype in a face some 2,000 years old, and in the features of a man whose achievements have been the marvel of the world. With this example before us, we are justified in suspecting that the narrowing jaw is an evolution of civilization, and marks a change rather than a decline of power.—Home Journal.

A Question.

Unity is never going to be the test of the true education. The true progress will suffer no such lowering of its ideal. It will keep before it, as its aim, the development of man, and the whole man, as man. But it will ask whether we have not overlooked some of man's faculties. It will inquire with what reason we have in the past instituted a feudal system among the human powers, which relegates some of them to an undignified servitude, and gives to others all the honor and esteem. Have we not overstepped the limits of science in this respect?—Science.

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A St. Louis banker expresses surprise that that city has not a single savings bank conducted on the Eastern plan, and he knows of no such institution west of the Ohio River.

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HUMIDITY OF THE AIR.

Its Effect on Physique in Summer and Winter—Sudden Changes.

The amount of aqueous vapor that the atmosphere is capable of holding varies with its temperature, being greater when the air is warm, greater in summer than in winter, and greater in a warm than a cold climate. The relative humidity exercises a powerful influence upon animal and vegetable life. It is a well known fact that the inhabitants of a dry climate are, as a rule, thin and sallow, while those living in a moist, insular country have well developed figures and fresh, ruddy complexions. It is to the greater dryness of this country that we owe the peculiar physique of our people, which is so different from that of our English ancestors.

Schagintwelt, a German, who traveled extensively in this country, notes this peculiarity, asserting that we are very proud of the leanness of the women: "According to Pettenkofer and Voit, the human body exhales from the lungs and skin twenty-eight ounces in twenty-four hours and of this a little over seventeen ounces is from the skin alone and, as the amount exhaled depends in a great measure upon the hygrometric condition of atmosphere, it becomes apparent that even a slight change of only 1 per cent. in the relative humidity exercises a marked influence upon the cutaneous and respiratory exhalations produces a corresponding increase in the urinary secretions and not infrequently in that of the intestinal canal.

"Dry climates, by diminishing the water in the blood act as a powerful stimulant to the nervous system, increasing its functional activity, causing excitement and sleeplessness." Hence such climates, although admirably adapted to the treatment of pulmonary diseases, are contraindicted in many nervous affections. "This effect is observed even in healthy persons on their removal to a dry climate, or to one of considerable elevation, and exhibits itself in a certain degree of restlessness." Sudden changes in the percentage of relate humidity operate very sensitively in a diseased organism, their first effects being a sudden increase or diminution in the blood pressure. Hence high altitudes, owing to diminished atmospheric pressure, even when combined with a high percentage of relative humidity, is similar in its effects to a dry climate with lower elevation.—New York Medical Journal.

How Do We Amuse Ourselves?

Why should the workingman be fired with that ardor for knowledge which is not expected of ourselves? I look round among my acquaintances and friends, and I declare that I do not know a single household, except where the head of it is a literary man, and therefore obliged to be always studying and learning, in which the members spend their evenings, after the day's work, in the acquisition of new branches of learning. One may go further; even of those who belong to the learned professions, few indeed there are who carry on their studies beyond the point where their knowledge has a marketable value. The doctor learns his craft as thoroughly as he can, and, after he has passed, reads no more than is just necessary to keep his eyes open to new lights; the solicitor knows enough law to carry on his business, and reads no more.

As for the schoolmaster—who ever heard of a classical master reading any more Latin and Greek than he reads with the boys? and who ever heard of a mathematical master keeping up his knowledge of the higher branches, which put him among the wranglers of his year, but are not wanted in the school? Even the lads who have just begun to go into the city, and who know very well that their value would be enormously increased by a practical and real knowledge of French, German or shorthand, will not take the trouble to acquire it. Yet, with the knowledge of all this, we expect the workingman in his hours of leisure, and after a day physically exhausting, to sit down and work at something intellectual. There are, without doubt, some men so strong and so avid of knowledge that they will do this, but these are not many, and they do not long remain workingmen.—Walter Besant in The Contemporary Review.

A Popular Innovation.

At a recent progressive dinner party in Philadelphia, after the hostess and her guests had returned to the drawing room in a state of exhilaration, the hostess inquired of each young lady what had pleased her most at the table. Each one expressed herself as being greatly amused with a story the gentleman next to her had told.

"What was it?" the hostess inquired.

The story was repeated and all exclaimed: "The same one he told me!"

The hostess complimented the fortunate man on his clever ability.

He expressed himself as being quite gratified and in love with progressive dinners, adding that it was an economy of brain work, being much pleasanter to provide one good story for nineteen women than nineteen stories for one woman. Progressive dinners are popular with the men.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Why Mussulmans Hate Statues.

The equestrian statue of Mehemet Ali is the only statue in Egypt, excepting, of course, those found in ancient times. This is because of Mohammedan religious scruples. The Mohammedans say that at the last day Allah will say to every one guilty of the impertinence of imitating his creations: "Put thou now a soul into this thing thou hast carved or painted in resemblance of my work;" and when the unhappy artists fail he will pack them off to sheol in contemptuous wrath at their presumption. Accordingly, from the palace of the khedive to the humblest home of any Mussulman of Egypt you may search in vain for a picture or a statue adorning its walls or decorating its halls or chambers.—Philadelphia Call.

Safety of Miners.

As a matter of precaution for the safety of employes work is suspended in certain Austrian coal mines, in dangerous places, during a fall of the barometer, it having been proved by experiment that the quantity and intensity of explosive gases greatly increase as the atmospheric pressure diminishes.—Chicago Times.

No man vhas so great or good dot he can kick somepody's dog und not make an enemy.—Carl Dunder.

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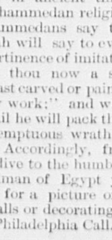

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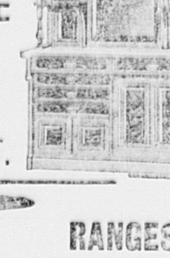

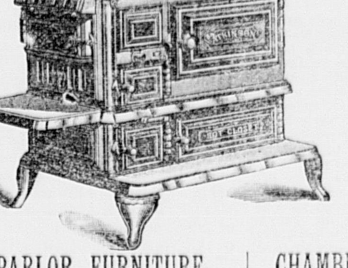

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There is no surer sign of vulgarity than the discourteous treatment of those below us in the social scale. Let your manner toward servants be gentle and courteous, but not unduly familiar. The world over, the members of the old aristocracy are more popular, because they are more affable, with the lower orders than are the newly rich.

The husband's card should accompany that of his wife upon all formal occasions; but it is no longer stylish for both names to be engraved upon the same card, except directly after marriage.

The project for reducing the surplus by getting the Government to loan the cigar makers $75,000,000 to start co-operative cigar factories does not seem to be entirely complete until it includes a further appropriation of $150,000,000 for the rest of us to buy the cigars with.

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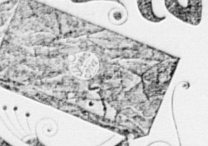

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FOR LAWRENCE at 8.22, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 1.34, 4.21, 5.10, 5.57, 6.41, 7.55, 11.33 P. M. **Sunday**, 9.28, A. M., 5.28, P. M. **RETURN**, 6.40, 7.45, 9.30, 11.00, A. M., 12.05, 1.30, 4.05, 6.03, 9.20, P. M. **Sundays**, 8.55 A. M., 4.25 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.26, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 2.21, 3.21, 5.10, 6.41, 9.25, 11.33 P. M. **Sunday**, 9.28 A. M., 5.28, P. M. **RETURN**, 6.35, 7.17, 7.35, 9.15, 11.00, A. M., 6.00, 6.30, P. M. **Sunday**, 9.00, A. M., 4.30 P. M.

For Nashua, Manchester, Concord, N. H., 7.26, 11.24 A. M., 3.21, 6.41 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H., 7.26 A. M., 3.21 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton N. H., 7.26 A. M., 3.21, P. M.

For WARNER, BRADFORD, SUNAPEE, NEWPORT, N. H., and CLAREMONT at 11.24 A. M.

For PENACOOK, FRANKLIN, LEBANON and WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, 7.26, 11.24 A. M., 3.21, 6.41 P. M.

For TILTON, LACONIA, MEREDITH, ASHLAND and PLYMOUTH at 7.26, 11.24 A. M., 6.41 P. M.

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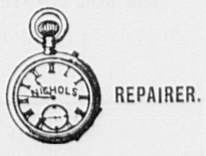

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A TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

Dora Carmichael was an extremely pretty girl, whom to see was to admire and perhaps to love, in most men's opinion. Women did not take precisely this view of her merits; but then, as we all know, women are notoriously jealous. Still even a very pretty girl may be considered as abusing her privileges if she engages herself to more than two men at once. Now, this was precisely what Miss Carmichael had done, and was not a little perplexed by the consequences of her rashness. Not only had she, unknown to and in disobedience of her people, kept on her engagement with Haselrig of the artillery, but to please her parents, and also her own ambition, she had consented a month or two since to accept Mr. Lorimer, son and heir to old Sir James Lorimer. And now, to crown all, a fortnight ago, at the Marsden's ball, Lord Liscarrol had proposed, and she had not been able to refuse him.

Concerning Capt. Haselrig she had little anxiety, as he had gone to India on being forbidden the house by Mr. Carmichael, who considered the handsome, impecunious soldier by no means an eligible match for his only daughter and heiress. But it had taxed even her ingenuity to keep Mr. Lorimer and Lord Liscarrol ignorant of each other's claims on her. Lorimer certainly did not suspect the existence of a rival; but Liscarrol had more than once resented the airs of proprietorship assumed by the former, and had pressed Miss Carmichael to allow him at once to apply to her father. This was horribly perplexing. Mr. Carmichael was a wealthy, self made man, whose fortune had sprung, as he was only too fond of boasting, from the traditional fourpenny bit. He professed ultra radical opinions, but in his heart was as fond of a lord as most people, and Dora well knew would have been as delighted at her latest conquest as she herself could have been. Still, she felt convinced that his word once pledged he would not let her throw over Charles Lorimer, even for such a party as Lord Liscarrol. So she told her lover a doleful story of stern parents, an unsympathetic suitor and an oppressed daughter divided between duty and dislike to the match proposed.

"But are you engaged to that cub Lorimer!" asked Liscarrol impatiently.

"No! O no! certainly not engaged; but it is very possible I might have become so to please dear papa had I not met with you," This, said with the sweetest timidity and a bashful look, had the full effect intended.

"But now, Dora?"

"Well, now I must make the poor fellow understand it is impossible—give him his conge, in fact, so decidedly, that, even self satisfied as he is, he can make no mistake, and then coax papa as best I can."

Still Liscarrol insisted.

"But, don't you see, Lord Liscarrol—well, Arthur, then—that if you go to papa directly I have sent off Mr. Lorimer, he will suspect what has occurred, and would not hesitate to treat you in the same way? For do what I will, I cannot help his considering me engaged to that horrid man."

"Well, when will you give Lorimer his conge?"

"To-morrow morning. He is coming about some botanical tickets, and I will speak to him then."

"Very well, dearest; and I may look in to hear the result, may I not?"

And so it was settled. Still, it must be confessed the situation was a troublesome one, and sitting in the library the next day, Dora thought over her plans rather anxiously.

Mrs. Carmichael was, or fancied herself an invalid, and rarely showed before lunch (and not always then, though ready enough for her "social duties" later in the day), so her daughter was at full liberty to arrange matters as she pleased. Accordingly she told the butler that if Mr. Lorimer called, he was at once to be shown in to her in the library, and that if Lord Liscarrol should call in the meantime, he was to be told she would soon be disengaged, and be requested to await her in the drawing room. So far so good.

But a ring at the door bell startled her from her reverie, and she waited expecting to see Lorimer ushered in. Instead of that, the visitor was ushered up stairs, and the butler announced "Capt. Haselrig." The blow almost staggered her, but pulling herself together, she went into the drawing room, and the next moment was clasped in Haselrig's arms. A few words sufficed to explain his presence. The death of an old uncle, his godfather, had made him master of a rather valuable property, and on the strength of this improvement in his position the young man had at once rushed back from India, and, as he fondly hoped, successfully to plead his suit. Whatever heart she possessed—it was little enough—belonged to Haselrig, and she had felt genuine sorrow when her father so entirely declined his proposals; for a moment she wondered if, after all, Haselrig's love might not be worth a sacrifice. Of Lorimer she did not think for one second, but she did remember Liscarrol, and this dampened her ardor. Haselrig was handsome end fairly rich now, but so was Lord Liscarrol, and if her love for him was not so great as for Haselrig, she adored his coronet. So the old story was once more related, and by its means she induced Capt. Haselrig to forego his purpose of seeing her father until she herself should give him leave to speak; and at last, to her great relief, she sent him off, if not satisfied, yet certainly more in love than ever.

During her conversation with Capt. Haselrig Dora's sharp ears had caught the sound of the door bell, so she was fully prepared to hear that Mr. Lorimer was in the library, and went to him at once. But what she did not know, and in her hurry would not give the butler time to tell her, was that Lord Liscarrol had also arrived, and was at the moment in the morning room. Now, Lord Liscarrol was not a particularly impatient man, but he had had ample time to get extremely tired of waiting, and, having exhausted the paper, was beguiling his leisure by staring out of the window, when he caught sight of Haselrig leaving the house.

"By jove! there's Haselrig!" he ejaculated. "Why, I thought he was in India! I must hunt the dear old fellow up. How well he's looking too! Hullo! what's up now, I wonder?" Voices loud, not to say angry, could be heard in the next room. "Humph! Lorimer getting his conge, I suppose. Seems to be catching it hot, too, poor beggar. After all, serve him right. Why should he try to force the girl to marry him, when any one else could see with half an eye she doesn't care a rap for him? Oh! but I say," he muttered, "I cannot stop here; I shall be hearing what they say next minute."

Leaving a message that an appointment unfortunately prevented his waiting any longer just then, but he hoped for the pleasure of seeing Miss Carmichael later in the day, Lord Liscarrol left the house.

Ten minutes later, stopping to look at a jeweler's window, a gentleman on leaving the shop brushed past him. It was Hazelrig.

"Hullo, Hazelrig, old fellow, how come you in town?"

"Why, Liscarrol, is that you?"

The two young men shook hands vigorously.

"Which way are you going? To the club? That's right, so am I; come along;" and the unconscious rivals walked slowly side by side down Pall Mall. Haselrig told of his accession of fortune, then added, with a conscious laugh:

"Fact is, I'm tired of single blessedness, and am going to try matrimony for a change."

"Congratulate you most heartily, my dear fellow." Lord Liscarrol's own happiness rendered him very sympathetic. "Do I know the lady?"

"I dare say you do; for she goes out a lot, and though her people are not exactly all one could wish, Dora herself is a darling!"

"O, called Dora, is she?" quoted his friend, amused at the coincidence. "Pretty name, Dora; my favorite, I think. Have you known her long, or is it a recent affair?"

"I've known her two or three years, but money stood in the way at the time so I went to India to wait for better days. ("Knew there was a woman at the bottom of that sudden rush to the shiny," mentally ejaculated his lordship). But when my uncle left me Cleveleigh, I came back sharp. Her people don't know yet, for her father wants her to marry a man called Lorrimer."

"Called what?" exclaimed Lord Liscarrol.

"Lorrimer. Do you know him?"

"Know him!" echoed the other. "To be sure I do; a west countryman."

"Yes, that's the fellow. An awful cub, I believe; but lots of money, and no end of a place in the west; so old Carmichael"—

"Here, I say, hold on a bit, I'm getting mixed! What's' the young lady's name? Surely not Dora Crrmichael?"

"To be sure it is. Do you know her, then?"

"I should think so! But look here, are you sure there is no mistake?"

"I say, Liscarrol, it's rather early in the day to be like this," remarked Haselrig, astonished at his companion's excitement. "Hang it, man, a joke's a joke, but to be like this at this time of day is rather"—

"No, I'm not drunk, Haselrig, nor mad either, though you are enough to drive me so! What do mean about Miss Carmichael?"

"Why, she's the girl I'm engaged to, to be sure! See here's her likeness," and so saying he rapidly unfastened a locket from his watch, and held it out open to his companion.

There was no mistake; it was decidedly Dora Carmichael's likeness. By this time, luckily for both, they had reached their club, and they turned into the waiting room, which at that time of the day was vacant.

"Yes it is Dora, certainly," said Lord Liscarrol slowly. "Confound her!"

"Lord Liscarrol!"

"O, don't go into heroics, man! Look here;" and in a moment he produced a daintily embroidered letter case from his breast pocket, and taking out a photograph and several letters flung them down before the astonished soldier.

"Look at that! Read those!"

Haselrig picked them up gingerly. One look was enough. The photograph he knew only too well, he had the duplicate of it; and if the letters at this moment lying on his breast were not exactly and literally the same, the signature, "Your own loving Dora," was identical in both.

"But what does it mean!" he asked, stupefied.

"Mean!" laughed Liscarrol, bitterly; "lies, to be sure! How long have you been engaged, Haselrig?"

"Since before I went to India."

"And I since Easter;" and the two men stood looking blankly at each other

That afternoon, having received the message Lord Liscarrol left with the butler, Miss Carmichael waited impatiently for the young man. About 5 o'clock a small parcel brought by a commissionaire was given to her, and on opening it there dropped out a locket two packets of letters and several photographs, together with a slip of paper, on which was written:

"Returned with thanks—Liscarrol, Bertie Haselrig."

There was no mistaking the signatures.

She had had a stormy scene with Lorrimer, who had entirely refused to take his conge quietly, and had forced her to listen to some uncommonly plain speaking before leaving, and she was thoroughly tired out. When her maid, hearing a heavy fall, rushed into her room, she found her mistress on the floor, insensible. Luckily for Miss Carmichael, it was sufficiently near the end of the season to make her sudden departure from town less of a nine days' wonder than might otherwise have been the case.

Long before she resumed her place in London society Capt. Haselrig had returned to India, and Lord Liscarral had found a wife both richer and prettier than Dora Carmichael.—*London World.*

Our Dumb Friends.

THE CRIMINALS OF THE FUTURE.

Pretty nearly all the criminals of the future are in our public schools to-day, and we are educating them—the men who will throw our railroad trains off the track; put dynamite under our churches; commit outrages and murders; perhaps burn half a city some windy night.

They are in our public schools to-day, and we are educating them!

The churches do not reach them. It is said that all the churches in New York City, with every seat filled, will seat only about 250,000, while the population is about 1,400,000.

The Sunday-schools do not reach them. I have seen it stated recently, in the Sunday-School World, that of sixteen millions of children in this country, of school age, only about seven attended the Sunday-schools. The other nine millions never go. Many of them have no parents, or worse than none. They have little or no thought of God or immortality.

They can be reached in our public schools; and neither they nor their parents can be reached anywhere else.

I believe it is infinitely more important to the future of this nation that they be taught kindness and mercy, than grammar or arithmetic, and I am sure there is no way under heaven in which you can better teach them kindness and mercy than by teaching to do kind acts and say kind words, a hundred times a day to the low creatures by whom they are constantly surrounded. Every such teaching in our public schools is not for the protection of animals alone, but for the protection of property and life; nay, more, it is laying in the human hearts of these neglected children preparing to become criminals, a foundation of mercy and humanity on which every church can build.—*Geo. T. Angell.*

A DOG'S CONSCIENCE.

A young fox-terrier, about eight months old, took a great fancy to a small brush, of Indian workmanship, lying on the drawing-room table. It had been punished more than once for jumping on the table and taking it. On one occasion the little dog was left alone in the room accidentally. On my return it jumped to greet me as usual, and I said: "Have you been a good little dog while you have been left alone?" Immediately it put its tail between its legs, and slunk off into an adjoining room, and brought back the little brush in its mouth from where it had hidden it. I was much struck with what appeared to me a remarkable instance of a dog possessing a conscience; and a few months afterward, finding it again alone in the room, I asked the same question while patting it. At once I saw it had been up to some mischief, for with the same look of shame it walked slowly to one of the windows where it lay down, with its nose pointing to a letter bitten and torn into shreds. On a third occasion, it showed me where it had strewn a number of little tickets about the floor, for doing which it had been reproved previously. I cannot account for these facts, except by supposing the dog must have a conscience.—*Spectator.*

A Sad Misfortune.

Is to raise a nice family of boys and girls and then have them carried to an early grave by that terrible disease, Consumption. Heed the warning and check it in its first stages by the prompt use of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, warranted to cure and relieve all cases. Price 50 cents and $1. For sale by Chas. H. Buss. Trial size free.

A Good Example.

Cambridge has taken a decided stand with regard to enforcing the "no-license." Meetings in the interest of this work have recently been held in six of its churches and W. C. T. U. speakers are welcomed to the most conservative pulpits. Mayor Russell is thoroughly alive as to his responsibility in this matter. He has issued a manifesto to the police force from which we quote the following. "It is expected and required of you to enforce this law impartially, vigorously and thoroughly. It is your duty not only to prosecute known violations of the law but to know who violates the law. Enforcing the law means that it shall not be violated with impunity."

In his inaugural address he says: "I confidently rely upon you to co-operate with me in assisting and sustaining the police in a thorough enforcement of the law. No doubt its enforcement will meet difficulties, evasions and violations which should make us the more vigilant and active."

We are glad to hear this cheering report from Cambridge and wish her entire success in the good work she has so faithfully undertaken, but now what can we say of Woburn? Is she doing her whole duty in enforcing the law? If not, what are we, as law abiding citizens, to do about it? This is a question that should come home to every one of us who has the true prosperity of the town at heart.—T.

Excitement in Texas.

Great excitement has been caused in the vicinity of Paris, Tex., by the remarkable recovery of Mr. J. E. Corley, who was so helpless he could not turn in bed, or raise his head; everybody said he was dying of Consumption. A trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery was sent him. Finding relief, he bought a large bottle and a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills; by the time he had taken two boxes of Pills and two bottles of the Discovery, he was well and had gained in flesh thirty-six pounds. Trial Bottles of this Great Discovery for Consumption free at W. W. Hill's.

The Philadelphia *Times* boasts that Pennsylvania has a non-partisan judiciary, and that in that State can be seen seen "intelligent communities that are always Republican in Presidential years, electing and re-electing Democratic Judges, and Democratic communities electing and re-electing Republican Judges, because these Judges do not pin their party badges on their judicial robes." This is well, but better still is a judiciary independent of the caprices of politics, and not obliged to consider the vote of the people. The elective judiciary system is perhaps at its best in Pennsylvania, but there is always danger of a lapse into the condition of affairs now prevailing at Chicago.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

CONSTITUTIONAL PROHIBITION.

Last Wednesday the bill to submit to the people the question of prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating beverages in this State by voting an amendment to that effect to the constitution was overwhelmingly defeated in the House. Previous to that the resolution had been voted by the Senate and it was believed, at least hoped, that the action of the House would be equally favorable but such was not the case. The majority against the proposition was very large. Why such reluctance on the part of the Legislature of this State to allow the people an opportunity to express an opinion on questions of vital consequence to their interests is inexplicable. As we have said before, it is the inferior overriding the superior, the agent bossing the principal, the tail wagging the dog. The whole business is wrong, and if the people stand it much longer when it may be so easily remedied at the ballot-box they have less sense than they have generally had credit for.

Mr. Wadlin, the Republican Representative from this district, and an able man by the way, had the rights of it when he said in closing debate on this measure on Wednesday afternoon: "It is honest for all Republicans and proper and patriotic for all who could vote to allow the people a chance to vote on this question." The Republican party incorporated constitutional prohibition in their platform last fall and in all honesty the Republicans of the House should have passed the bill; and then again, on grounds of common popular right the proposition to submit the question to the people ought to have prevailed. But then Legislatures are queer sometimes.

☞ The appointment by Gov. Ames of Major George S. Merrill of Lawrence to be Insurance Commissioner to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Commissioner Tarbox gives great satisfaction all over the State. From all accounts he seems to be the right man for the place and it is evident that the Governor's selection of him was one of the best that could have been made. Besides being postmaster of Lawrence from 1861 to 1885 Major Merrill has filled many responsible stations and in all of them proved to be a faithful and competent officer.

☞ There was a report a few days ago that some of the railroad companies think seriously of bringing suits for the purpose of testing the constitutionality of the inter-state commerce law, which, if true, indicates that the law will prove beneficial to the people at large if strictly enforced. It has been settled that the appointment of the Commissioners was legal and as that was one of the points proposed to be raised in the suits perhaps the railroad companies will abandon their purpose and let the law work out its own salvation, and the people's too, if it can.

☞ Both branches of our Legislature have agreed on a bill that takes all the vitality out of our code of wholesome "Sunday laws," so called, and by others, derisively, "blue laws," and now the same will pass on to the Executive for his approval. It grants about everything the most "liberal" have asked for, and might as well give up the rest to them. Christian people will deplore the change.

☞ There is a stir in and around the State House which indicates that an adjournment is contemplated at some time, probably within a month or so. They will stay there until the full half year of session is rounded out most likely, which will be about July 1, then vote an addition of $250 apiece to their salary and go home. On the whole it has been a busy session.

☞ President and Mrs. Cleveland have left their fishing in the northern N. Y. woods and started for Washington. It is reported that they have enjoyed their vacation quite well and have had fair success.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

W. H. A. W.—To Let.
T. H. Cahill—"Record."
S. R. Niles—Ill'd World.
Lincoln Ass'y—Meeting.
Dr. Alderman—Notice.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
C. T. Quigley—Horseshoer.
Mrs. C. A. Pierce—Bargains.
T. H. Cahill—Young & Glass.
Geo. P. Rowell & Co.—Mis. ads.
Baptist Society—Entertainment.
Lyceum Hall Association—Meeting.
A. P. Ordway & Co.—Sulpher Bitters.
Town of Woburn—No. Wo. St. Ry. Notice.

— The Lyceum Hall Association advertise a special meeting in this paper.

— The trustees of the W. H. F. A. W. advertise a stable to let in this paper.

— Read what Mr. Amos Cummings has to say about millinery and dry goods.

— We have had a plenty of hot weather this week and some not so much so.

— Charlie A. Jones is making improvements on his Pleasant street purchase.

— It is a wonder that the Legislature hasn't long before this made circus-day a legal holiday.

— Yeoman Allen bought a scythe-snath the other day and is otherwise preparing for haying.

— C. A. Smith & Son's new card appears under the appropriate head, and to it we call special attention.

— Mr. William H. Smith was appointed an auctioneer at the last meeting of the Board of Selectmen.

— Rev. John W. Day, pastor of the Channing Memorial church at Newport, visited his family here a few days ago.

— Mrs. C. A. Pierce has a communication in this paper which must prove very interesting to the ladies of Woburn. Please read it.

— Good progress is being made by Mr. J. M. Ellis and his force of men and horses on the cellar and foundation of the Dow Block.

— The customary big crowd came to town last Wednesday to see the circus. It was a good day for it and everybody enjoyed themselves.

— Mr. L. B. Russell left his home in Lynn late last week for a business trip and visit to Tennessee and other southwestern States.

— Considerable time will elapse before rain becomes so greatly needed as it was before the late long-continued and soaking storms.

— Mr. William B. Harris has been confined to his house for more than a week with sickness, but will probably get around again in a few days.

— An entertainment will be given by the Tuesday Night Circle at the Baptist church vestry on Thursday evening, June 23. Admission 10 cents.—2.

— Tyng's Island in the Merrimac river just above Lowell is the beautiful spot on which the St. Charles C. T. A. Society will hold their picnic this year.

— Rev. G. H. Perkins of Winchester will officiate at All Saints Chapel next Sunday at 3 P. M. A cordial invitation is extended to the Public.

— C. M. Munroe informs the public of some facts respecting his clothing and furnishing house in this issue of the JOURNAL which ought not to be overlooked.

— The Woburn Coal Co. are expending a good deal of money on their chutes, dumps, elevators, yards and sheds, and all to accommodate their customers.

— Mrs. W. N. Titus and her children are down in Waldoboro County, Maine, for a month's visit at the old home. At last accounts they were enjoying life.

— Mrs. Winn, wife of pastor D. D. Winn of the Baptist church, sailed from New York for her old home in Germany last week. She will be away two or three months.

— No meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trade was held last Tuesday evening. A 4th of July celebration absorbs public interest at the present hour.

— Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mentzer, who have resided at Northboro, this State, since their marriage, have left there and come here to live. Mrs. M. is a native of Woburn.

— John G. Maguire, Esq., will soon commence on the construction of a residence on the site he recently purchased on Montvale Avenue. It is said he intends to build a fine one.

— The regular monthly meeting of the Young Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held in the parlor of the Methodist church on Saturday, June 11, at 3.30 o'clock.

— Last Saturday the W. H. S. Jr's played a Picked Team at home and beat them 26 to 18. Perhaps Winchester baseballists would like to tackle our High School boys, eh?

— The Woburn public schools will close for the long summer vacation on June 30. It is expected that the High School graduation ceremonies will take place on Wednesday, the 29th.

— It is reported that the 4th of July canvassing committee, of which Mr. Charles W. Bryant is the energetic and efficient chairman, are meeting with excellent success in getting subscriptions.

— There are some new manufacturing schemes in embryo for this town concerning which more will be found in these columns at an early day. In fact we are preparing some disclosures.

— Woburn boasts of a population of 12,070. A city sure.—*Stoneham News.* How you talk. 12,070! Hadn't you just as soon put on 690 more and call it 12,760? Yes, Sir-ee, "city sure!"

— At the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Pharmaceutical Society held at Holyoke this week Mr. William W. Hill of this place was elected a member of the Society's Executive Committee.

— It never looked more lovely and inviting about Horn Pond than it does now. The banks are all soft and smooth, the foliage of the trees is thick and green, the waters are clear, and what else could there be to make it beautiful and enticing?

— The next meeting of Lincoln Assembly, No. 90, Royal Society of Good Fellows, will be held in Fraternity Hall, No. 121 Main street, on Wednesday evening, June 15, at 7.30. Per order, Committee.

— Last Monday Dr. March attended the funeral of a child three months old, and an hour after he attended the funeral of a man 82 years old—representatives of very nearly the extremes of mortal existence.

— Mr. Peter Kenney has bought the 50-foot front lot on Winn street that was of the Warren property of Mr. Marcellus Littlefield. It is next beyond Mr. Martin Ellis's property and desirable for residence or business.

— One week from to-day will occur the 112th anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill. It will be duly observed by this office in the usual way, that is to say, by keeping right on pegging away, as the lamented Lincoln used to put it. At any rate this establishment will be wide open for the receipt of money in liquidation of demands due it from morning till night of the 17th instant.

— Mr. Leonard Fowle, whose business place is 95 Summer street, Boston, was in town on Wednesday afternoon dropping in on friends. He formerly resided here, but now lives in the city winters and at Swampscott summers.

— Large additions have been made to the capacity of the Chemical Works and more men employed. The establishment is in a prosperous condition and growing every year. It is one of the most valuable manufacturing establishments in Woburn.

— Next Monday evening there will be held a special meeting of the Republican Town Committee at the party's headquarters at 204 Main street. As business of importance will be brought up for action a full attendance of the Committee is requested.

— The appointment of teachers for the next school year was not made at the meeting of the Board last Tuesday evening as was expected. There are a few hitches that must be straightened out before the teachers are appointed, and that will be done shortly.

— It is understood that brother Nelson, head of the Police force, has rods in pickle for several more suspected rumsellers. Chaps who have a dread of being hauled over the coals had better stand from under before something drops. A word to the wise, etc.

— Mr. John Blake has recently had his pension increased from $4 to $12 per month. He has always suffered more or less from a sunstroke received while in the service and should have been paid a larger pension from the beginning. But better late than never.

— Nothing was done at the meeting of the School Board last Tuesday evening except to adjourn to next Tuesday evening. It would not be at all surprising if there should be some wrangling over the election of next year's teachers when that job is got round to.

— Janitor Francis is as proud as can be over the remarkable beauty of the Library lawn just now. The weather for two weeks past has been just the thing to make grass grow and look green. Vegetation and foliage all around the board are looking splendidly.

— On invitation of Ex-Gov. Claflin the present graduating class of Wellesley College went to Plymouth last Monday and had a grand time. The number of "sweet girl graduates" was 74, included in which were Marion I. Smith and Lizzie B. Dodge of this place.

— Owing to some delay in receiving the poles on which to string the wires it will be six weeks, and mebby a week or two more than that, before Mr. Simonds gets a full and good ready to light our streets. But it will come by and by and when it gets here people will like it.

— A big effort was made to finish the street railroad to Walnut Hill by Wednesday morning last so as to be able to take in the circus but it was too big a job for the time allowed. Superintendent Jones wanted the $200 for carrying circus-goers to and fro that day, but he couldn't make connections, or the contractors couldn't.

— The Woburn Home for Aged Women is now located on High Street, at the former residence of Mr. Charles Converse. There will be an adjourned meeting of the Board of Managers at the Home, Tuesday, June 14, at 2.30 P. M. The election of a Treasurer, in place of Miss Engard who has resigned, and other important business comes before the meeting.—N. A. H., Sec.

— A free musical exhibition by the Woburn Schools will be given at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, and 7.30 in the evening, on next Wednesday, at High School Hall, to which the public are cordially invited. The entertainment will be given for the purpose of showing what progress the pupils of the schools have made in the study of music and we have no doubt it will be a good one.

— The *Sunday Herald* of June 5, said that "Edward Johnson, author of that once popular work, 'Wonder-Working Providence of Zion's Savior in New England,'" Woburn's first Town Clerk, and the ancestor of Mr. John Johnson and his sons in the seventh and eighth generations, we believe, was one of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston which celebrated the 249th anniversary of its organization last Monday.

— Equine runaways have been quite numerous this week, but not very destructive. Observations and experience teach that these exhibitions of equine foolishness generally come and go in waves,—with spells of almost daily occurrence and then intervals of peace and quiet. The wave that struck this place some days since has been exceptionally active. Bruce's cracker team ran away Wednesday morning but did no damage.

— The opinion appears to be quite general that a Town Meeting should be held as soon after the 4th of July as the circumstances of the case will permit for the purpose of taking steps looking towards getting a city charter next winter. The change in our local government ought to be perfected before the period at which the annual Town Meeting would be held, and if this is to be brought about work cannot be delayed a great while after mid-summer.

— Hon. E. W. Hudson rents 65 tenements to people of this town and is building more. He is no doubt much the largest householder in Woburn, and by the method which he works, that is, to lease only to temperate, industrious and responsible persons, at a moderate rent per month, he seldom or never loses anything by his tenants. Mr. Daniel McMurray is his agent for leasing houses and collecting rent, a responsible office that he has held a great many years.

— Last Monday evening Lincoln Assembly, No. 90, of Royal Society of Good Fellows, was organized at G. A. R. Hall, and the following officers chosen: Ruler, James E. Furlong; Instructor, Newell F. Eames; Counsellor, Oliver M. Wade; Past Ruler, Seth W. Kelley; Secretary, W. H. Swain; Financial Secretary, Frank J Buxton; Treasurer, Fred L. Rogers; Prelate, M. B. Field; Director, William H. Bowers; Guard, Robert L. Webber; Sentry, J. C. F. Corbett. There were 38 charter members.

— At the annual meeting of the Ladies Charitable Reading Society connected with the First Congregational church held last week Wednesday the following officers were elected for the year: President, Mrs. J. I. Hanson; Vice President, Mrs. E. V. Bridgham; Secretary, Mrs. Nancy Chamberlain; Treasurer, Mrs. Maria R. Bickford. After the election the annual banquet was served and enjoyed. It was rendered more than ordinarily good by the generous contributions of Dea. G. R. Gage. The good work of this old society increases every year.

— Yeoman Allen of the *Advertiser* was seen wending his way to the circus grounds last Wednesday afternoon loaded to the gun'ls with deadhead tickets. Yeoman A. never fails to get a bite of about all the good things of life while they are going, but if he should live 50 or 60 years longer and a circus should come every year and the ticket-agents were all as liberal as Mr. Cole was last Wednesday, we should think he might get circuses enough to last him awhile—indeed enough to cloy him for the rest of his natural existence.

— The June 4th issue of the Boston *Commercial Bulletin* contained this item which may be of interest to some of our good of Woburn people:—"The Williams Manufacturing Company will not locate in Woburn, it is understood, but will stay in Taunton and go on as before, although there may be a change in the management. It is understood two wealthy business men from a neighboring city profess to have discovered what Taunton capitalists failed to discover, that there is money in the business, and will assist Mr. Williams to the extent of furnishing him all the capital he may desire."

— New business enterprises that seek location here should be encouraged by our citizens and secured if possible. What we need more than almost anything else are manufactories for making machines, and small steel and iron tools, shoes, etc., and whenever anybody shows up with any such scheme in mind our people should reach out for him, get hold of him and fetch him to shore. Although we can't have too much leather production, nor too many of the men who make it, still other kinds of manufacturing is needed, therefore we ought not allow anything that looks like a desirable establishment slip through our fingers.

— It is a great pity that there are not houses enough in town to supply all the people who would like to make their homes here. It is given to us on the best of authority that hardly a day passes that out of town parties do not come here, seek in vain for places to live, and go away disappointed. If the supply of houses was equal to the demand and everyone who came could find a home among us, our population would increase over 1500 between May 1, 1887 and May 1, 1888, perhaps 2000, but as matters stand probably the increase will not exceed 1000. Well, the JOURNAL feels that the blame cannot be laid at its door.

— There was a large company of editors, artists and critics present at the First View exhibition of Munkacsy's great painting, "Christ before Pilate," at Horticultural Hall, last Monday afternoon and evening, by whom the wonderful work was viewed and admired. The admittance was by ticket, several hundred of which had been distributed among the classes above named, the consequence of which was that a large crowd gathered in the Hall both afternoon and evening. The opinion was generally expressed that anyone who missed seeing this remarkable production would lose a great deal of real enjoyment, for it is only now and then that one is privileged to look upon a picture by such a master of the art, and that his master-piece.

— A few days ago there were seen on our streets two Presidents of National banks who are expending money and doing Woburn much temporal good. They were A. F. Breed, President of the First National Bank of Lynn, and Mr. Chase, President of Central National Bank of that city. Mr. Breed is President of the North Woburn Street Railway Co., and of the East Middlesex Railway Co., both Woburn institutions mainly and so to speak; Mr. Chase is one of the Directors of the last mentioned Co., and both have put heaps of money into those enterprises which are destined to be a great help to this town. And when these gentlemen were seen on our streets the query naturally arose in the mind: What are the bank people of Woburn doing for growth and prosperity of their town?

— Mr. Ware B. Gay, senior partner of the firm of Gay & Parker, coal dealers in Boston, has recently been chosen President of a syndicate of capitalists which has bought 3000 acres of rich coal lands in Virginia with a view of operating the same. They are admirably located and are reached from the railroad by a branch six miles in length just completed by the company of which Mr. Gay is the head and over it the coal is transported. The lands are excellent for agricultural purposes and especially for raising cattle. The syndicate propose to convert a considerable part of the 3000 acres into a ranch and stock it with the celebrated Holstien cattle and prosecute the business on an extensive scale. A cargo of the coal from the mines of Mr. Gay's company is now en route to New York a part of which will soon be landed in yards and sheds of the Woburn Coal Company of this place.

— The County Commissioners are coming out here on June 29 to settle the matter of Col. Hayes's boundary line on Main street which has occasioned considerable talk and some little trouble. The Col. petitioned the Commissioners to view and decide the matter. To put a drain, or gutter, eight inches below the grade of Main street in front of Col. Hayes's, a law by a vote of the town established, would be a difficult thing to do, so Street Officer Johnson designated the place where the fence corner should be and how the fence should run and all Col. Hayes did was to comply with Mr. Johnson's decision. Nobody expected the line was permanently established or the fence more than a temporary one, and as Col. Hayes's motives have been called in question and some of his acts unjustly criticised he prayed to the Commissioners to come and change or alter and establish the boundary and settle the whole business. Certainly no blame can be attached to the Col. for what was done concerning the fence, for it was done on Mr. Johnson's order, and he was at the head of the highway department last year.

— Frank A. Robbins's circus and menagerie exhibited here last Wednesday and drew big crowds afternoon and evening. The street parade at 10 o'clock A. M. was just about a fair average of such shows, the many animals in the procession attracting the attention of the hundreds of people who lined the sidewalks. The shows under canvass were firstclass. Robbins's circus had been here before and the reputation it gained drew great crowds of people last Wednesday. Everything set down in the programme was performed and was as good as represented, which is saying a great deal for a circus bill. The people who attended all said they got their money's worth. Mr. George S. Cole, Mr. Robbins's ticket agent and paymaster, showed up at the JOURNAL office promptly at the hour set, bright and beaming, and interviewed the treasurer of that well known and very popular publishing establishment with purse and pasteboards in the most liberal manner, which enabled the editor and family to enjoy a good dinner on Wedeesday and a pleasant outing in the afternoon at the circus. Mr. Cole is a gentleman all the way through and why shouldn't he be? They don't raise any other kind at Ogdensburg, N. Y., and never did.

— The large addition to the store of Messrs. Copeland and Bowser 147 Main street is completed. Thrown together this firm now has a store 35x80 feet, high posted, neatly finished and equal in every respect to the best in town. The front is ahead of any other in the Centre. It contains the largest panes of the best plate glass of any and there is so much of it that one would naturally call it a crystal front. The large entrance is in the centre and on each side of it the room is all taken up by the great show windows in which goods can be displayed to the best advantage. The whole front is let in or sunken which adds to its general good appearance and utility. In addition to the light obtained from the show-windows several skylights let in enough more to make the store pleasant and also to enable purchasers to select goods without trouble from darkness. It is one of the sunniest and brightest rooms in town. The inside finish is all in good taste and everything is made as handy for customers, proprietors and and salesmen as possible. There are set marble bowls with Horn Pond water for all of them. Other conveniences have been thoughtfully provided by Copeland and Bowser in which respect their store is unsurpassed. A nice, handy office is in the rear, finished in hard wood, with all modern improvements. Mr. George Fowle did the carpenter work; Slater & Leeman, assisted by T. Marvin Parker, the painting, glazing, etc., and others had a hand in providing for Messrs. Copeland and Bowser one of the largest, pleasantest and most convenient stores in Woburn of which they have a right to feel proud.

The Commander-in-Chief

of the Grand Army of the Republic, Major George S. Merrill. Few remedies are better known in this vicinity than Sulphur Bitters; their sale has been very general throughout this section, and the number of reliable and well attested cases of beneficial results and recovery by their use, is large and beyond dispute.

Meetings of the Board of Selectmen.

A special meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held on May 29, at which all the members were present except Cottle, Golden and Kimball. ——James Gilligan and Sherman Converse were drawn as jurymen.——On complaint of Rufus Pickering for violation Sunday laws the Clerk of the Board was instructed to notify the Chief of Police that such laws must be enforced in all cases.——Communication of A. A. Clement respecting sidewalks referred to Highway Committee. ——Com. of C. A. Marcotte was referred to same committee to examine and report to Board.——Nathaniel Jenkins was appointed special policeman without pay.——Pet. of Patrick Curran for street light referred to Com. on Street Lights.——The matter of leasing Lyceum Hall for election purposes was referred to Chairman Skinner with full powers.——Voted to adopt the Rules and Regulations of last year's Board of Health for the present year.

A special meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held on May 31, at which all were present except Cottle and Kimball.——Pet. of East Middlesex St. R'y for permission to locate turnouts on their line referred to Com. on Highways.——Pet. of James I. Hanson and others was referred to Highway Committee.

A regular monthly meeting with Kimball absent of the Board of Selectmen for receiving reports, allowing bills, etc., was held at Municipal Building on Tuesday afternoon, June 7, when the following business was transacted: Reports of Chief of Police, Collector of Taxes, Inspector of Milk and Vinegar received, accepted and ordered placed on file.——The bond of J. G. Maguire, Esq., Collector of Taxes, for $30,000 was approved and ordered filed and recorded.——On pet of N. Wo. St. R'y Co. for permit to to put in curved track at the N. E. corner of the Common. Voted to advertise for a hearing of the parties on June 25, at 4 o'clock, P. M.——Applications of E. Prior and Charles R. Brown for permission to keep and sell fireworks on July 1, 2 and 4, referred to Com. on Police.——Application of W. A. Grandfield for druggist, or 6th class license, referred to Committee on Police.——Cottle, Grammer and Salmon appointed a committee to confer with the School Board in reference to Warren Academy.——Thomas Mulkeen was appointed to look after neglected children.——Com. on claims reported favorably on the Kerrigan claim, and the Board voted to adopt the report and authorize the Town Treasurer to pay $426.22 in full satisfaction of said claim.——Voted, That Edward Simonds, Ex-tax Collector, be notified to appear before the Board at such time as the Chairman may direct and report the condition of unfinished taxes, the prospect of collecting the same, etc.——Bills for May examined and allowed.

The Eleventh Regiment.

The veterans of the 11th Mass. Regiment with their families and friends celebrate their annual re-union at Melville Garden, Downer Landing, Wednesday June 29, 1887.

Tickets may be obtained of the committee (at excursion rates) who will be at the wharf in season for the 9 o'clock boat. We believe this grand old town has not lost its patriotic devotion to the defenders of one Republic and it is hoped that the gates of this new-born city of Woburn may open for the next re-union of the old Eleventh.—C. T. Wood.

Dr. March Expects to take a Vacation.

Last Sunday Rev. Mr. Seymour of Winchester preached at the Congregational church in this place, and at the meeting read the request of Dr. March, the pastor, to the church for a vacation of six months, with perhaps an extension of six months more. The request was favorably acted on at a church meeting held at the close of the Wednesday evening meeting. The parish, or society, will act on it after proper notice given.

At the special Wednesday evening meeting of the church the following vote was unanimously passed which is self explanatory:

VOTED, That the request of our pastor, Dr. March, for a six months, and possibly a year's, leave of absence be granted:

That the members of the church wish to express their deep sense of gratitude to Divine Providence for a pastor whose term of service already covers more than twenty years; years so marked in spiritual results, and so extraordinary in the uninterrupted harmony and cheerful co-operation which has existed between pastor and people:

And we wish him to feel that wherever he may go he carries with him our hearts and our prayers, that we give him our benediction, and look forward with happy anticipation to the time of his return.

Dr. March will sail for Europe, life and health vouchsafed, about the middle of July and meet Rev. Mr. Porter of Lexington at Vienna about the middle of August, and from thence they will journey in company mostly to other lands.

Base Ball.

The Burdett's Business College B. B. Club played a game of base ball last Saturday with Bond's Harnessmakers at North Woburn. The college boys batted well and fielded fairly considering this being their first game and having had no practice. For the Bond's the batting and infield were excellent but the out-field was a little loose. Their batting was rather light. The following is the score:

Innings,	1	2	3	4	5*	
B. B. C.	4	3	4	5	5	—21
Harnessmakers,	4	2	4	1	5	—16

*Game stopped on account of darkness.

The Burdetts have a strong club and would like to hear from similar clubs. Address Wm. Forsaith, Burdett Business College, Boston, Mass.

A Florida paper says: "Indian River was made brilliant last Saturday night by a grand phosphorescent display every wave presenting the appearance of a huge sheet of fire."

Married.

In North Woburn, June 1, by Rev. Charles Anderson, George H. Brauer and Harriet J. Willoughby, all of Woburn.

In Woburn, June 8, at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. D. D. Winn, Mr. Daniel Fraser McIntosh and Mary Elizabeth Greenleaf, all of Woburn.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, June 3, James Edward Rogers, 52 years, 1 month, 20 days.

In Woburn, June 3, Flora Fraser, 6 years, 9 mo., 18 days.

In Woburn, June 3, Jessie Burns, aged 26 years, 1 month.

In Woburn, June 4, John H. Looney, 23 years, 10 months, 11 days.

In Woburn, June 4, Eunice F. Johonnot, 94 years.

In Woburn, June 6, Elbridge Trull, 80 years, 5 months.

In Woburn, June 7, James McAnulty, 84 years.

In Woburn, June 6, John Doherty, 67 years.

In Woburn, June 4, Florence Gertrude, only child of Charles H. and Nellie M. Kendall, aged 1 year, 2 months and 12 days.

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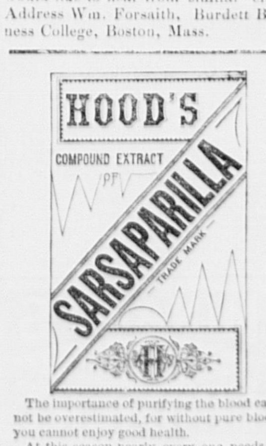

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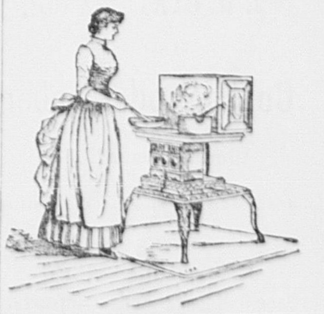

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WINCHESTER.

Mr. Wetherell who is away in search of health is said to be getting better.

Miss Mariella Metcalf has got back from the South very much improved in health.

The doctors and others think Postmaster Garcelon's eyesight will be saved and that he will come out all right in due time.

Mr. Maxwell has not yet began work on rebuilding his tannery at No. Winchester but expects to do so after a little, if business should warrant it.

Gen. Benj. Butler has warm friends and followers in this town. The other day a Butler Club was organized in Boston and Mr. R. W. Swan of Winchester was elected a member of its Executive Committee.

The pupils in the Warren Street Chapel Sunday School in Boston will give an operetta in the Unitarian church on Saturday afternoon at the close of which they and the home children will join together and have a picnic in some handy-by grove.

Capt. Charles H. Dunham of this town was elected 4th Sargeant of Artillery of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company at its 249th annual election last Monday. Several of our citizens have been at one time and another members of the Ancient and Honorables—a thing always and everywhere to be proud of.

Nature hereabouts is in a smiling mood. All out doors never looked more inviting than at the present time. The weather all the spring has been just the checker for grass, foliage, and all that sort of truck, and never in June did things of this sort look more lovely. Winchester as Nature left it is choice and fine, and don't you forget it.

— Ex-treasurer John T. Manny appreciates the set of complimentary resolutions passed by the town in acknowledgment of his long term of valuable services rendered as treasurer, as any man might well do. The resolutions are handsomely framed and have been conspicuously hung by Mr. Manny who will preserve and cherish them as a token of the towns appreciation of the services he rendered it.

The Boston *Globe* of Monday contained a cut of our new town House to be, accompanied by a brief description which was generally correct, your correspondent being unable to discover more than about a dozen errors. The cut gave a very good idea of what the building will look like when completed, as it was taken from the drawings of the architect. When completed, or nearly so, I will give the readers of the JOURNAL a full and accurate description of our new Town House which everyone says will be an ornament to the town and a credit to the building committee.

This town owes a debt of gratitude to Abijah Thompson, Esq., for the interest he has taken and takes in gathering up the history of the place as So. Woburn and later Winchester, and his liberality in procuring the publication of *The Winchester Record*, the organ of the Winchester Historical and Genealogical Society, which is published quarterly at large expense and contains the historical gatherings and contributions of the officers and others of the Society. Mr. Thompson has spent a great deal of money in this good cause—indeed *The Record* would never have seen daylight and would not now be continued but for his liberality—and our people ought, and no doubt do, feel very grateful to him for it.

The regular meeting of the School Board was held last Saturday afternoon. All the members present. Several petitions for positions as teachers was received and placed on file. All the teachers were re-elected and their salaries fixed for the ensuing year, except the principal of the High school. The visitation days of the several schools will occur as follows, viz. Mystic, June 14; Highland, June 15; Gifford, June 19; Hill, June 20; Wyman, June 20; Rumford June 21; Washington, June 21; Centre Grammar, June 22; Chapin, June, 23; High, June 24. All the schools excepting in the High will have their visitations in the morning of these days. The time and place of the exhibition of the High has not been settled. All of the schools will close on the last named day—*Wadleigh in Advertiser*.

The school committee has made the following appointments of teachers for the ensuing year: High—First assistant, Helen H. Spaulding, salary $750; second assistant, Maria A. Parsons, $650. Centre Grammar, principal, F. W. Shattuck, salary, $1450; first assistant, C. Isabella Livingstone, $550; second assistant, Josephine S. Hinckley, $550; third assistant, Elizabeth E. Marston, $525. Grammar schools—Wyman, principal, Mary A. Emerson, $600; intermediate, Abbie F. Johnson, $450; first primary, Nettie Coffin, $400; second primary, Margaret L. Moseley, $300; Chapin school, first intermediate, Wilhelmina F. Smith, $500; second, Caroline B. Symmes, $450; first primary, Annie T. Holland, $425; second, Susie E. Wakeford, $325. Gifford, intermediate, Mary S. Spurr, $450; primary, Annie E. Boynton, $400; Rumford, intermediate, Rebecca A. Holbrook, $450; primary, Ida M. Richardson, $350; Highland, intermediate, Kate A. White, $425; primary, Annie G. Richardson, $325; Mystic, May M. Holden, $325; Washington, Elizabeth C. Richardson, $425; Hill, Emma A. Stone, $275; music teacher, Susan C. Bailey, salary not decided upon; sewing teacher, Addie R. Stone, salary $80.

The appointment of the principal of the high school has been laid over to the next meeting.

BURLINGTON.

The Sunday school will give a concert a in the church, next Sunday evening, at half past seven. The pastor will also conduct services appropriate for Children's Sunday next Sunday morning.

A new tea and grocery store is soon to be opened, in the centre of the town by Mr. T. S. Curtis.

Mr. George Skelton has been severely ill for two weeks past but is now improving.

Over a Million Copies Sold.

The most popular author in the United States is Rev. E. P. Roe, whose books have had an immense sale. Over 1,000,000 copies have thus far been sold. A new powerful war story from his pen will be begun in the next *Sunday Globe*, June 12. It treats also of the Charleston earthquake. It is entitled "The Earth Trembled." It is Mr. Roe's latest and best work.

Wilmington.

At a town meeting held last evening an additional sum of $2000 was voted, making $5000 in all, for the "new high school building" which is to be erected this summer near the head of "Common," and will constitute an important addition to the centre of the town.

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The season has been very backward in England, being cold and stormy, delaying agricultural operations and putting farmers to much expense in feeding their stock.

Public benefactors are not alone confined to the higher orders of scientific research. Indeed but few have done more for the welfare of the working masses than James Pyle through the introduction of his labor-saving Pearline.

The flavor of the strawberry shortcake now pervades the land, but soon the perfume of clam-chowder will show that summer is here.

The peculiar purifying and building up powers of Hood's Sarsaparilla make it the very best medicine to take at this season.

Fourth of July Meeting.

A meeting of a hundred or so of prominent citizens was held at the rooms of Board of Trade on last Monday evening on a notice issued by President E. E. Thompson and Secretary Will F. Kenney of the Permanent Committee, to canvass the subject of celebrating in true and loyal shape the rapidly approaching Independence Day, talk the matter over, decide on something, and take steps to carry it out. The spirit of the assembly was unmistakably and rankly in favor of a celebration, and if the rest of the town comes anywhere near sharing this spirit equally with the meeting we are bound to have a celebration of the very largest dimensions and one that will answer for a good subject to talk about in years to come.

The gathering was called to order by Secretary Kenney in the absence of President Thompson who was in attendance on a bank meeting and therefore unable to be present. On motion, Mr. Frederic H. Lewis was chosen Chairman of the meeting, and Mr. Will F. Kenney was chosen Secretary. On calling the meeting to order Mr. Kenney stated its object, as Chairman Lewis did on taking the Chair. The ball was thus opened and the subject taken up for debate. It was thoroughly and intelligently discussed by Messrs. Mark Allen, David F. Moreland, Capt. Ed. F. Wyer, Charles W. Bryant, Thomas H. Hill, John Meehan, William N. Titus, W. F. Kenney, Capt. John P. Crane, and others, all of whom expressed themselves decidedly and warmly in favor of a celebration. Patriotism and loyalty to "the day we celebrate" were apparent on every countenance.

Messrs. S. Frank Trull, Thomas H. Hill and D. F. Moreland were appointed a committee to nominate a committee to canvass the town for funds with which to defray the expenses of a celebration that no Woburnite need be ashamed of. This committee retired, deliberated and returned with the following list of names to compose a canvassing committee: Charles W. Bryant, Capt. Ed. F. Wyer, Capt. John P. Crane, Patrick McGowan, Henry E. Smith, John C. Meehan, W. N. Titus, George Buchanan, William A. Colgate, E. E. Thompson, D. F. Moreland, John O. Ray, Ed. F. Cassidy, Francis P. Curran, John S. True. The report was adopted and the above named gentleman constitute a committee to raise funds to to pay for the glorious occasion. It is a good committee, because individually or collectively the members are abundantly able to foot all the bills for a celebration, and if the people are backward about contributing we expect the committee will go down deep into their own personal pockets and pay the scot.

The committee subsequently on the same evening met in council and after mature thought and considerable talk as to the best plan to be pursued to raise money agreed to divide the town into districts and have them thoroughly canvassed. This being settled the committee separated with determination and no such word as fail written across their foreheads, to meet by adjournment at the same place to-morrow evening and compare notes. We should be greatly remiss in our duty as a reporter if we failed to express entire confidence in the ability of the committee to raise an abundance of cash, and to assure the public that the prospect for a big celebration in this town on the 4th prox. is brilliant.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. of Woburn held its regular meeting Monday, June 6, in the parlor of the Congregational Church. After devotional exercises a report of the service recently held at the Almshouse under the auspices of the society and the reading of two or three business communications the president introduced Mrs. Allen of Boston, State Supt. of work among RR. men. In opening the speaker very modestly alluded to herself as one of the "lesser lights," comparing the great speakers to electric lights and saying that, from those down, there were many varieties even to the tallow dip which did something toward lighting up the dark places. She compared the great evil of drink to slavery and told of a temperance address she once gave before little colored boys, using the same line of argument, when a black hand was raised and one little boy said: "Missus, dat was slavery ob de body, dis am slavery ob de soul!" She spoke strongly of the good done by the Flower Mission and urged the ladies not to feel that they weren't accomplishing anything because they didn't see great results. "It is the little things that tell." The RR. department has been established a comparatively short time and when it first taken up many people were asking what could be accomplished by it. The attempt has been made and much good is already being done. Mrs. Allen said that in the State there are 400,000 RR. employees without Sabbath rest, or Sabbath privileges, and told of gospel meetings that had been held for them in the different cities and towns. She urged the distribution of good literature among them as one of the best means of help. After the address many questions were asked and suggestions offered as to the best way of carrying on this work in our own town. The meeting was well attended, about forty being present.—X.

North Woburn.

Rev. C. F. Staples will preach in the Chapel in this village next Sunday evening at 7 o' clock.

Woman's Club.

The last regular meeting of the Woman's Club was held at the usual hour, Friday afternoon, June 3, in the vestry of the Unitarian church. The speaker was Rev. George Willis Cooke, whose lectures on the literary work of the women of England since the reign of Elizabeth, have received, during the past season, so favorable mention from city and suburban press. "George Eliot and the Literary Women of To-day" was the caption of the address but attention was drawn rather to recent educational conditions and their resultant evolutions than to personal sketches of lives and publications. "George Eliot," Dinah Mulock Craik, Margaret Oliphant, and Amelia Edwards were accorded niches of peculiar honor having won desirable reputations in departments of intellectual labor additional to that of novel-writing. Especial attention was called to the present poetic accomplishment and great lyric promise of Mary F. Robinson. Mr. Cooke in closing made a forceful plea against the restrictions of sex in the opportunities for generous intellectual culture and emphasized his judgment that the limits of the sphere of woman's mental activity cannot be rightly apprehended till at least three (3) generations of mothers shall have inherited the educational advantages long since extended to men.

The next meeting of the Club, June 16, will be for the purpose of visiting Concord, Mass., the original idea of a Club picnic or lawn party about home having developed into an excursion to this doubly interesting locality.

For children's parties many quaint devices in confectionery are manufactured. Among other kinds are ice cream pyramids in white, red, green and chocolate, or molded into small forms of elephants, tigers, goats, cattle, pigs, tomatoes, oranges, lemons, pears, cucumbers, pickles, etc.; the baskets of lady's fingers, dominoes made of cake heavily frosted and marked in dots with soft chocolate; the littered lozenges, upon which a wooden type dipped in red piping has impressed soft expressions; the bower of French mottoes in colored tissue paper, under which they play until it breaks and the competition to obtain the mottoes causes a scene of indescribable confusion; the pyramid of macaroons, frosted in the centre, and the orange quarters on a framework of lemon candy.

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The controversy upon the question whether reporting or teaching offers the best opportunities to see life would probably be given new vigor by the physician and the clergyman. Mr. Howells is reported as saying: "In my young days I was offered the position of city editor on a Cincinnati newspaper, and I regret to this day that I did not accept it. It would have been a great schooling to me and given me a fine opportunity to study human nature. There is no place, scarcely, better fitted to study human nature than through the various channels offered in connection with journalism. The interviewer of a great metropolitan journal has a field to study his fellow-man from that ought to be of inestimable value to him."

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A humorous story is told of a tenor in an English opera company organized for the summer months. It was found the tenors were too light for the rest of the chorus. The manager protested that there were voices enough, and one of the singers was questioned why he did not sing with more force. He replied that C., the leader of the tenors, didn't, and that if C. would not sing out he was not inclined to strain his throat to do the work of two. C. was thereupon interviewed, and his answer to the remonstrance of the manager was: "I am paid summer wages, and I refuse to sing in anything but my summer voice."

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching at 10.30 a. m., by Rev. J. H. Weeks of Walpole.

EPISCOPAL. — Preaching by Rev. Dr. Harris at 3 p. m. Seats free. Sunday School at 2 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.-The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; Sunday School Anniversary at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and F.iday evenings.

BAPTIST. — The pastor preach a sermon to the children at 10.30 a. m.; Young people's meeting at 6 p. m.; the Sunday School Anniversary at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening young people's meeting.

The completion of the famous James Lick telescope has been retarded by the recent breaking of the lens, which was to be used for photography, while it was being figured by Alvan Clark & Sons, Cambridge. Now it is a problem if ever another photographic lens can be obtained, as the manufacturer, a Parisian, has died, and possibly with him the necessary skill and secrets of manufacture.

The Five Cents Savings Bank Building.

As considerable curiosity has been expressed in reference to the block to be erected this season by the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank on the corner of Pleasant and Abbott streets and inquiries as to what it is going to be are numerous, we interviewed Edward E. Thompson, Esq., the Treasurer of that institution, on the subject and have learned that:

A contract for building the block, including the foundation, has been made with Messrs. Head & Dowst, the well-known contractors of Manchester, N. H., who built the elegant station of the Lowell RR. at Concord, the beautiful Woburn station, and other fine edifices. The contract for plumbing has been let to William Lumb & Co., of Boston, well and favorably known in the business. The contract for steam heating was awarded to the well-known Boston firm of Messrs. Walworth & Son, while the contract for building the elevator has not yet been given out. The conditions call for the completion of the block to be ready for occupancy on or before January 1, 1888.

The architects of the building are Messrs. J. R. and W. P. Richards, of Court street, Boston, who are eminent in the profession. Their plan of elevation shows a very handsome structure, four stories in height, fronting on Pleasant street, but with an Abbott street *facade* as elaborate and beautiful as that of the first named thoroughfare. It is to be 55x80 feet on the ground with a projection on Abbott street 8x30 feet, a tower in the southwest corner, the material to be brick with Longmeadow stone trimmings, and when completed it will make one of the finest and handsomest business blocks in the county. The site is an admirable one for such a building and it is proposed to cover it with something in the shape of a bank edifice that shall be entirely worthy of it.

The following may be taken for a hasty and imperfect description of the interior of the block: There is to be a basement store 27 feet square which will be dry, light, airy and a good one. On the first story above the basement are to be two stores to front on Pleasant street, the first 80x20 feet to the jog on Abbott street, where it will be 28 feet wide, or 1744 square feet in all. This is the store located on Pleasant and Abbott streets, while that in the N. E. corner will be 80x20 in the clear and contain nearly 1600 square feet. Near the centre of the story there is to be the elevator, and behind it and between the stores a space 10x28 feet is to be arranged for an office. Iron and plate glass will constitute the principal part of the front of this story, which will make a fine show.

The eastern half of the second story will be occupied by the bank with Directors' parlors in the rear, money vaults, toilet, coat and other convenient rooms between. The other side will be divided into eight or more single and double offices for the use of professional men. Fronting on Pleasant and Abbott streets, in the choicest section of the town, nothing more desirable for offices than these can be produced in Woburn.

The Pleasant street front of the third story the architects have divided into two double-parlors, or society rooms, of about equal size and each connected with a hall in the rear of them 30x60 feet, with coat rooms, toilet, etc., connected, reached by the elevator, and very desirable for society purposes. Independent access to the hall is provided for in the plans. The forth story has not yet been divided up, or its precise internal character determined on.

The architects, plan of elevation shows that the building is to be a handsome one—a fine home for the Five Cents Savings Bank and an ornament to the town.

Obituary.

On Monday morning, June 6, Mr. Elbridge Trull, one of the oldest citizens of Woburn, a man well known and respected by everybody, died at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. John I. Munroe, on Warren street, after a brief illness. The news of his death quickly spread and created considerable surprise as well as regret, for not many were aware that he was sick.

The deceased was born in Burlington, Mass., on January 6, 1807, and was therefore over four score on the day of his death. In 1829 he was a student at Warren Academy; in 1830-31, he studied to become a Universalist minister with Otis A. Skinner and Sylvanus Cobb—two prominent Universalist clergymen who many of the oldest generation now living here will perhaps remember. Mr. Trull was ordained after getting through with his studies and preached about five years, but the occupation being uncongenial to his tastes he abandoned the pulpit and on Nov. 7, 1836, after having married Sylvia Copeland of Francistown, N. H., on May 3, previous, he engaged in the dry goods business on Pleasant street, Woburn, and continued in the business two years. In 1838 he bought the drug business of Dr. Thayer, and continued in it to about January 1, 1886—showing an honest, upright and successful business career of over 50 years in Woburn.

Mr. Trull was a member of the Board of Selectmen from 1860 to 1865, inclusive—the war period; was once abolition candidate for State Senator receiving 13 votes, namely, W. P. Woods, Sylvanus Wood, Sylvester Nichols, John Morong, Peter Warren, David Lewis, D. F. Eager, James Brown, John Fessenden, George L. Ingerson, Elbridge Trull, and two others whose names cannot now be remembered. He filled places of trust and importance in the town and always to the satisfaction of the people, who had entire confidence in his integrity.

Of the ancestors of Mr. Trull the first to emigrate to this country was John Trull from Somentshire, England, who lived at Cambridge and Billerica after coming here. He was the common ancestor of all the Trulls of this country. The deceased left only one child to mourn his death, and a sister who lives at Stoneham.

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For the Boys and Girls.

Beginning next Sunday, *The Sunday Record* will have a department specially devoted to boys and girls. Next Sunday's issue will contain the first instalment of the prize story, "The Cave of the Moons," by Anna Maria Fay; "How Tom began his Aquarium," by Margaret Deland; practical instructions concerning the making of fireworks for the holidays, by a practical pyrotechnist, and a variety of other interesting and original matter for the young people. Among the other contributors next Sunday will be J. G. Wood on "Our Dumb Friends"; "L'Envoi," by Rev. Dr. Phillips Brooks; A sermon for young people by Rev. Stopford W. Brooke; "Uncle John's Letter Box," "Domestic Gymnastics," etc.

Be sure and order *The Sunday Record* left at your house if you have any boys or girls in your family, and see how delighted they will be with it. It is the growing Sunday paper of Boston.

Castle Garden authorities complain that English thieves are coming to this country in large numbers.

The new store of Messrs. Young & Glass, 119 Washington street, is one of the handsomest in Boston. This firm makes a specialty of interior decorations, draperies, artistic paper hangings, and window shades.

A Philadelphia expert, who has been testing the mineral resources of the country adjacent to Tyler, Texas, says that section contains enough iron ore of a quality superior to that of Pennsylvania and Alabama to supply all the foundries in the world for 100 years.

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Cured

My eyes are now in a splendid condition, and I am as well and strong as ever.— Mrs. William Gage, Concord, N. H.

For a number of years I was troubled with a humor in my eyes, and was unable to obtain any relief until I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medicine has effected a complete cure, and I believe it to be the best of blood purifiers.— C. E. Upton, Nasina, N. H.

From childhood, and until within a few months, I have been afflicted with Weak and Sore Eyes. I have used for these complaints, with beneficial results, Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and consider it a great blood purifier.—Mrs. C. Phillips, Glover, Vt.

I suffered for a year with inflammation in my left eye. Three ulcers formed on the ball, depriving me of sight, and causing great pain. After trying many other remedies, to no purpose, I was finally induced to use Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and,

By Taking

three bottles of this medicine, have been entirely cured. My sight has been restored, and there is no sign of inflammation, sore, or ulcer in my eye.—Kendal T. Bowen, Sugar Tree Ridge, Ohio.

My daughter, ten years old, was afflicted with Scrofulous Sore Eyes. During the last two years she never saw light of any kind. Physicians of the highest standing exerted their skill, but with no permanent success. On the recommendation of a friend I purchased a bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which my daughter commenced taking. Before she had used the third bottle her sight was restored, and she can now look steadily at a brilliant light without pain. Her cure is complete.—W. E. Sutherland, Evangelist, Shelby City, Ky.

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TOWN OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN,
Municipal Building,
WOBURN, MASS., June, 1887.

The NORTH WOBURN STREET RAILROAD CO. having applied for a location for a curved track, extending northeastwardly from the track in Common street to the track in Main street as at present laid. Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be given at this office on SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 1887, at 4.30 P. M., as required by Public Statutes.

By order of Board of Selectmen.
JOHN FERGUSON, Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, Creditors, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of James E. Rogers, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Winthrop Hammond of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of June instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

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Special Notice.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the Woburn Lyceum Hall Association will be held in the rear room of their building, Wednesday evening, June 15, at 7½ o'clock, to act on the following articles: Article 1. To see if the corporation will lease to the town the use of the hall for the annual meetings, together with such other meetings as they may desire during the year, that will not conflict with the engagements of the hall, or act in relation to the same. Article 2. To see what action the corporation will take to notify the members of the annual or special meetings of the corporation, or do anything in relation to the same.

Per order,
ROBT. J. W. PHINNEY, Clerk.

JOSEPH made a good point for **PHARAOH** when he cornered Egyptian wheat, but Foulds scored a **WHEAT GERM MEAL.** Now, ladies, the weather is growing hot, and if you will use less meat and more Germ Meal, you'll save money, time and temper; your husbands will relish it, and the children will thrive on it. [illegible] All Grocers sell it. [illegible]

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147 MAIN STREET.

Woburn, Mass.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners for the County of Middlesex:

The undersigned, citizens of the Town of Woburn, respectfully represent that the westerly line of Main street, in said town, between the northerly line of Kilby street and the southerly line of Chestnut street, is very crooked and the width of said Main street between said points unnecessarily wide.

Wherefore your petitioners pray that your Honors locate said line anew, and as in duty bound will ever pray.

H. B. HAYES and 11 others.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners for the County of Middlesex, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, to wit, by adjournment thereof, on the twenty-third of May, A. D., 1887:

On the foregoing petition, Ordered, that the Sheriff of said County, or his Deputy, give notice to all persons and corporations interested therein, that said Commissioners will meet for the purpose of viewing the premises and hearing the parties at the Selectmen's Room in Woburn, in said County, on Wednesday, the 29th day of June next, at nine o'clock and fifty five minutes in the forenoon, by serving the clerk of the Town of Woburn with a copy of said petition and of this order thereon, thirty days at least before said view, and by publishing the same in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and also by posting the same in two public places in said town of Woburn, fourteen days before said view; and that he make return of his doings herein, to said Commissioners, at the time and place fixed for said view and hearing.

Attest, WM. C. DILLINGHAM, 2d Ass't Clerk.

Copy of petition and order thereon.

Attest, WM. C. DILLINGHAM, 2d Ass't Clerk.

A true copy. Attest: JOHN E. TIDD, Deputy Sheriff.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Ann Geary, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by James H. Conway, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

23-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

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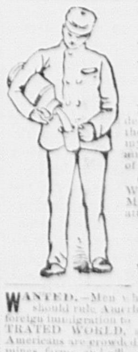

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Woburn, Jan. 18, 1886.

WANTED.—Men who believe that Americans should rule America, and who favor restricting foreign immigration to read MUNYON'S ILLUSTRATED WORLD, a 16 p. paper; shows how Americans are crowded from shops, stores, factories, mines, farms and offices, by foreigners; how wages are reduced, manhood degraded, and laws are defied; [illegible] tells how to join the American party, [illegible] MUNYON'S ILLUSTRATED WORLD, Philadelphia, Pa.

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A STABLE, fitted for keeping horses or storage. Apply to House for Aged Women, rear of Old RR. Station, Woburn.

Woman's Column.

"A community without woman's equal social action, a church without her equal ecclesiastical action, and a state without her equal political action, is very much what a house would be without a mother, wife, sister or friend."

Among the speakers and subjects announced for the Deerfield Summer School of History and Romance are Miss Alice C. Fletcher of the department of the interior of national reputation as an earnest and accomplished worker in the cause of the Indian, and a deep student in the marvellous mysteries of Indian legends, upon "The Indian Folk-Lore of America;" Four papers upon music (illustrated by board and charts), by Miss Mary W. Lincoln of Boston: 1. "Musical Myths and Primitive Methods" origin of music; (the first notation). 2. "Monks and Minstrels" (the birth of harmony; Huebald of Flanders; Guide of Arezzo; the troubadors). 3. "Music as it is" (natural tones; keys and intervals; chords and discords; cadence and modulation). 4. The Story of the Sonata (whence it came, what it has been, and what it is). Four papers on "The Cycle of Arthurian Romance," by Miss Edith L. Chase of Boston: 1. "Two Epochs of English History" (the historic King Arthur; the series of struggles which produced the Englishman: gradual development of chivalry, which finds voice in the Arthurian and similar romances). 2. "The Growth of the Legend" (ancient origin of the story; first appearance in Geoffery of Monmouth, enlarged in "The Brut;" accretions from many sources explain the want of continuity in the Morle d'Arthur. 3. "The Romances of the Round Table." Showing the chivalrous element. The coming of Arthur, Bleys and Merlin; the round table; the adventures of Sir Lancelot; "the piteous death of Arthur." 4. "The Romances of the Holy Grail." Showing the religious element.

Miss Mary Childers, a pretty school teacher of Trenton, Ga., heard some time ago that John Magors had been circulating slanderous report about her. She rode across Lookout mountain, a distance of 15 miles, and at the muzzle of a shot gun forced her traducer to apologize. Then she published Magors as an "infamous scoundrel" and a bad man generally, and Magors sent her a challenge to fight. The little woman went to the spot to meet him, but he didn't show up, and at last accounts Miss Childers was hunting for him with a revolver.

Have you read Helen Campbell's "Prisoners of Poverty?" Since the publication of this book the author has received hundreds of letters from women offering to extend practical aid to their bond-sisters of over-work and under-pay. Mrs. Campbell is going to London to study into the conditions of the working women of the East and of that great metropolis, it is said.

Women are the State librarians of Michigan, Iowa, Indiana, Tennessee, Kentucky, Mississippi, and Louisiana.

An English paper says: "It is well known to all who have studied the subject that the United States of America are far behind the United Kingdom as regards the electoral rights of women."

Adelina Patti has been singing a Cradle Song written by a young Pennsylvania girl.

The town councils of twenty Scotch towns have this year petitioned Parliament to grant suffrage to women. Edinboro' is among the number.

The women of Iceland will henceforth be permitted to study in the chief classes and pass the higher examinations of the College at Reikiavik.

The editor of the Magazine of American History is Mrs. Martha J. Lamb. She is a member of thirteen learned societies, a life-member of the American Historical Society, and a Fellow of The Clarendon Historical Society of Edinburgh.

Florence Nightingale has published an appeal to the women of England to help in providing a central home and adequate organization for the Woman's Protective and Provident League.

The *New York Mail* says: It is true enough in a way that the range of women's industries is broadening. Business circles, in the city, at least, recognize very little distinction nowadays between what is properly women's work and men's work, except the all-important dividing line of pay. Go into any large manufactory, whether of wearing apparel, household furnishings or articles connected distinctly with men's labor, and somewhere about the building, working with needle or brush, tending a machine, keeping books or manipulating a typewriter, you will find a woman at work. On the other hand start any new industry, I care not how specially adapted to woman's nimble fingers or keen eyesight or insight, and if there is "money in it" the woman comes into immediate competition with a man. The art of earning a living for man or woman either is one that involves a good deal of thought and study, more of each with every year that goes by.

Taken collectively, the difference between men and women—and it is an infinite difference—is comprehended in five sylables, organization. What is a nation, a state, a city, a church, the public school system, any modern institution whatever? A corporation of men in which women are disconnected units. What are business firms and industrial concerns of every description? Organizations of two or more men with rarely a woman partner among them.

Women have done much, but it is as well not to exploit their successes too loudly till they have done more. They need a business education in business principles, regular hours of work, the same thoroughness that a New England housekeeper puts into baking and cleaning, that a society girl devotes to dressing and her mother throws into keeping up the round of calls. They need above everything else faith in themselves and business courage.

It is a Curious Fact

That the body is now more susceptible to benefit from medicine than at any other season. Hence the importance of taking Hood's Sarsaparilla now, when it will do you the most good. It is really wonderful for purifying and enriching the blood, creating an appetite, and giving a healthy tone to the whole system. Be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is peculiar to itself.

Literary Notices.

Cottage Hearth for June is a bright, fresh number as its thousands of readers will conclude after an examination of its contents. The fashion plates and descriptions are numerous and of the latest cut, in which particular feature this magazine has no superior; the illustrations are good, and the literary contents firstclass. We furnish the Journal and Cottage Hearth for $2 per year in advance—the price of the Journal alone.

Littell's Living Age. The numbers of The Living Age for May 28th and June 4th contain St. Francis of Assisi, London Quarterly: The Ruin of Aurangzeb, Nineteenth Century; A Visit to Japan, Fortnightly; The Earthquake in London, Macmillan's; Memories of Undergraduate Life at Trinity, Forty Years Ago, Temple Bar; Lord Derby on the Blind, The Wealth of the London Jews, The Colonial Policy of Italy, and Literature and Action, Spectator; Central Asian Asparagus, Saturday Review; Greek and Turk in Asia Minor, St. James; Homeric Astronomy and Christmas Island, Nature; The Queen's Coronation, Chambers; Rider Haggard and his Critics, Times; with installments of A Secret Inheritence, Major and Minor, Richard Cable and Major Lawrence and poetry.

For fifty-two numbers of sixty four large pages each—or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 monthlies or weeklies with The Living Age for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

We have just received from the publisher a copy of Conklin's Handy Manual of Useful Information. Of the many books we have seen that claim to be "useful," we have yet to find any so complete as this. Books are cheap, perhaps cheaper than ever before; but even now it is a matter of surprise to find so much information contained in so low-priced a volume as in the case of this one. We find it to be filled with just that mass of information that intelligent people have always desired to lay their hands upon, but could heretofore find it in no one book. It supplies what many of the best libraries of the country could supply no better. It is neat and convenient in size, systematically arranged, full of valuable facts of practical utility, and more comprehensive than any other work of its kind. You may carefully search many volumes and not find a tithe of the facts and figures appearing in its neatly printed pages. In it you have the fruits of the labors of many scholars who have devoted years to gathering the information it contains. It is a handsome volume of 316 pages, bound in English silk cloth with red edges, and will be mailed to any address on receipt of 50 cents, by Geo. W. Ogilvie, publisher, 216 Lake street, Chicago, Ill. Agents can make money selling it.

The Verdict Unanimous.

W. D. Sult, Druggist, Bippus, Ind., testifies; "I can recommend Electric Bitters as the very best remedy. Every bottle sold has given relief in every case. One man took six bottles, and was cured of Rheumatism of 10 years standing." Abraham Hare, druggist, Belleville, Ohio, affirms: "The best selling medicine I have ever handled in my 20 years experience, is Electric Bitters." Thousands of others have added their testimony, so that the verdict is unanimous that Electric Bitters do cure all diseases of the Liver Kidneys or Blood. Only a half dollar a bottle at W. W. Hill's Drug Store.

The power of law in Iowa is seen in the closing, by order of the Supreme Court, of the Big Distillery in Des Moines. An appeal has been taken but, as Iowa courts show no favors to rich men that poor men do not enjoy, there is little probability that the distillery will take up its harmful work again. The success of the Republican party in Iowa seems to be due to the fact that its members are advocates of moral reform. They are the party of moral ideas. Let Republicans everywhere learn from their Western brethren if they care to regain the position they have lost.—*Congregationalist.*

To-night and To-morrow Night,

And each day and night during this week, you can find at Chas. H. Buss's drug store Kemp's Suppositories, acknowledged to be the most successful treatment yet introduced for the cure of piles. Old sufferers from this distressing complaint are at once relieved and in a short time a permanent cure established. Check the disease in time by using the most effective remedy. Price 50c.

Another victory for scientific temperance is announced. Mrs. Hunt has just received an official letter from Japan informing her that the "Pathfinder Series" has been adopted for use in the schools in the Sunrise Kingdom. This is the result of correspondence conducted by Mrs. Hunt during the year, first with Mrs. Leavitt, afterward with Hon. M. Mari, Minister of Education. Thus temperance instruction is belting the globe.

The Great American Chorus.

Sneezing, snuffing and coughing! This is the music all over the land just now. "I've got such an awful cold in my head." Cure it with Ely's Cream Balm or it may end in the toughest form of Catarrh. May be you have catarrh now. Nothing is more nauseous and dreadful. This remedy masters it as no other ever did. Not a snuff nor a liquid. Pleasant, certain, radical.

The Cincinnati *Commercial-Gazette* thinks these facts worth collating: That the President's place at Red Top was a part of the lands taken up by syndicates for speculative purposes; that in order to improve the syndicate lands, including the president's place, the District Commissioners, who are appointed by the President, are planning extensive improvements, including the extension of Massachusetts avenue, at a cost, including bridges, of not less than a million dollars a mile, and that more than two million dollars are to be taken out of the public funds to carry out these improvements.

Dr. Holmes is to furnished a dedicatory poem for the Oliver Wendell Holmes Hospital, which was opened at Hudson, Wis., June 7. It was founded by Dr. Irving D. Wiltrost of Hudson.

The Pope has blessed the teetotalers. They are blessed "whether-or-no."

HOW CODFISH ARE CAUGHT.

Where the Finest Fish Are Found—Forerunners of the Coming Catch.

"The deep sea commercial fish come out of the cold water seas," said an authority on the subject the other day to a correspondent. "It is not true that the cod and herring migrate to the arctic seas, as was once believed. These fish are local in their habits and confined to a limited area, governed in their movements by a supply of food, the instinct to spawn and the temperature of the water. They go out from the cold waters to the warmer to spawn, and come back again in a direct line. Like all animals which have homes, they come to the place of their birth for reproductive purposes. Generations of fish from immemorial time have come back to their native banks and sports. The cod drops its spawn free into the sea at a considerable distance from the bottom. The spawn does not sink, but swims near the surface in transparent eggs, and in about sixteen days they hatch. The male fish in spawning swims deeper than the female, and the milt rises, as soon as it is poured out, to the surface. The young cod in its first year grows to be a foot long. It cannot reproduce till it is 4 years old.

"The Rev. Mr. Harvey, of Newfoundland, in his history of that island published only four years ago, says that the finest codfish does not swim near sand borne by the gulf stream or the St. Lawrence, but upon rocky bottom, which sometimes is only fifty feet below the surface, but generally nearer 400. There is an outer bank called the false bank, where the water is 700 or 800 feet deep. The fishing grounds have an extent of 200 miles long by 60 miles wide, and this particularly fine ground is called the cod meadow, and it has never decreased in productiveness. Thirty codfish make a hundred weight when dried."

"How do they know when the cod are running on the banks?"

"A little fish called the caplin, about seven inches long, precedes them, swimming on the surface in enormous swarms. The cod follow them in to devour them. The fishermen take the caplin for bait. These little caplin fish, when they come toward shore, are so thick that a man can stand on the banks with a casting net and fill a cart with them in an hour. The caplin are used by the farmers for manure, and are put up like sardines. Next come the squids or cuttlefish, which remain six or seven weeks, and are also used for bait. Then the herring come in the fall. These bait fishes run from the 1st of June till near winter, and without them hardly anything could be done in capturing the cod."

"Why is the codfish particularly valuable?"

"Because you can eat nearly every part of it, or use it somehow. The head is good; they make guano of the offal and bones as good as Peruvian guano; from the bladder isinglass is made; they send the roe to France as bait for sardines; the tongue and sounds are sold in Boston and New York for delicacies."

"How do they take the cod ashore and dissect him?"

"The Newfoundland or Cape Breton fisherman comes right in from sea and lands at a platform projecting over the water. With a kind of pitchfork he flings the fish on this; a man up there with a sharp knife severs the gills from the belly, slits the abdomen to the vent, and makes a cut on each side of the head near the base of the skull. Another man takes out the liver for cod liver oil, pulls off the head, removes the bowels, which are thrown into a scow for manure. The tongues and bladders are taken out and pickled. Then a third man, called a splitter, puts the body of the fish on its back, holds it open with the left hand, and cuts along one side of the backbone to the tail. The backbone is then taken out and the fish salted on the floor and spread out on flakes to be dried. When they are packed they are divided into the merchantable, the West India, and the broken fish. The West India cod is eaten by negroes."—Cor. Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Primitive Turkish Bath.

"The first time I tried a Mexican sweat bath," said Col. Joe Shelly, the famous scout, "I thought I would die, but I shut my teeth together and said: 'I can stand it as long as you can, old fellows.' It was at the close of a long march on a hot day. The Indians fixed a tepee until it was air tight, heated a rock and then rolled it into the tepee. One by one we crawled into it, after having stripped off our clothing. Some of the Indians didn't have much on, and then we packed together as close as sardines in a box. I thought I would melt. Every few minutes the lord high executioner or master of ceremonies would talk Indian and throw a little water out of a can on the rock. This would fill the room with steam. It seemed an age before they let me go, but I guess it wasn't more than half an hour. Then we all made a rush to the river near by, and a dash of a few minutes made us as fresh as a daisy. No matter how tired we were, the sweat bath made us feel like kings."—Toledo Blade.

A Mattress Maker's Views.

"Nobody respects anything now, and I saw a rich woman the other day let her boy 6 years old empty a box of candy on a pale blue satin couch and then sit down on it and rub his shoes up and down on the edge. I say when there's no respect left for anything it's no wonder decent work comes to an end. I make a mattress and there isn't an inch of it that isn't sewed to last and that isn't an honest piece of work, but you can go into any house furnishing department and buy one that looks just as well for a third less money. Everything's so cheap that people don't care whether anything lasts or not, and so there's no decent work done, and people pretend to have learned trades when really they just botch things together."—Helen Campbell in New York Sun.

Musical Tones Among Animals.

According to a book recently published by an English organist, a cow lows in a perfect fifth and octave or tenth; a dog barks in a fifth or fourth; a donkey brays in a perfect octave; a horse neighs in a descent on the chromatic scale. Each person has his fundamental key in which he generally speaks, but which he often transposes in sympathy to other voices, or when he is excited.—Chicago Times.

Rice straw shoes are worn by the laboring people in the south of China.

Overheard by an Eavesdropper.—"When Maggie and I started out we had nothing but our clothes, feather bed, small cook stove, and wash-tub. But there's my son Johnnie, earning $18.00 a week, and what does he do when he and Carrie Delaney set their heads together to get married? He walks up to that big firm on Washington street, (what's their name Maggie?) Oh, it's B. A. Atkinson & Co., and pays down forty or fifty dollars, and they have fitted up a house for him in great style. Once a week he throws a few dollars to them, which is never missed and he has a home fis for a prince."

The reception and banquet tendered the Mayor of Philadelphia on his inauguration by the Union League Club, was distinguished by the absence of liquors of any kind.

Do not take quinine for malarial disorders. When Ayer's Ague Cure contains none, nor any other poison. This preparation, if taken strictly in accordance with directions, is warranted to cure all malarial diseases.

HERMITS OF THE FAR WEST.

A Curious Social Study—Pioneer Work Done by Recluses.

Few persons who have not considerable familiarity with some part of the country westward from the base of the Rockies have any idea of the great numbers of men who throughout that region lead hermitlike lives. To me it is as a matter of course on approaching a dwelling, be it a rusty 8x10 cabin or a place fit for a decent family home, to find it occupied by but one man, who will tell me that he is "baching it," living quite alone except for the company of stray visitors at odd times.

Generally the western semi-hermit has a strong dash of independence in his character. He is poor, and dislikes to work with a "boss" over him, so he sets out to try what he can do on his own account. He goes about making a little farm. He has a few head of cattle, a small herd of hogs, or something of that kind. He frequently has a quartz mine which he is endeavoring to develop by slow and onerous toil. In parts where there is still some gold to be got by placer mining he is likely to be engaged for a portion of his time in that method of earning a living—nowadays more than ever an uncertain and ungrateful way of gaining subsistence. In a "wooden country" the hermit may work with the ax, cutting firewood, or making railway ties, fence rails, posts, shingles, or whatnot, according to the suitability of the timber.

An immense amount of the pioneer work of the new countries is done by the recluses. They are always at the front of regular settlement, rambling around and exploring until they happen on spots that strike their fancy. They are the discoverers of the finest tracts of agricultural land, of the best springs, of the most desirable timber. They know more about the country in which they dwell than anybody else. They begin forest clearings, fence their claims in whole or part, find out practicable routes for new trails. They are great fellows for making plans and schemes on a large scale. They nose out all the natural resources and advantages of the land, and imagine what they do not nose out, and on that foundation build dreams of fortune. Far more often than not at all the reward of their discoveries, their toil and scheming is a bare existence. Here and there one of them accumulates considerable property, but by the time that has been accomplished he has become too strongly fixed in his habits to care for another mode of life.

They are generally men past or fairly on toward middle age who "go it alone" in the western lands. The younger fellows without families and who are trying to "do for themselves" always prefer to have a partner; and if, as happens in most instances, the partnership breaks up in a row, the members of the concern hunt employment where they can have companions after their kind. Although they love their freedom well enough to rebel at the mastership of a partner, they do not love it well enough to refuse the mastership of an employer at the expense of being deprived of the sound and sight of human voices and faces. When a young man is found living in lonely state he is in a chronic humor of discontent, growling viciously at his lack of society and bent on making a change as soon as circumstances will admit one. He has in general some well defined purpose in view, and is doing his level best to reach his goal. But as often as not he becomes disgusted with himself before his desired end is attained, and goes back to join the crowd.—Lewis Stornaway in New York Times.

Boarding a Man-of-War.

"We continue to have a great many conventionalities in our naval and army service, and to cling to much of that which is old and useless in teachings and practices," said an old navy officer the other day. "We continue to instruct our naval cadets and marines in boarding ships," continued he, "when there is not the least particle of sense or utility in it. It is as senseless to talk about boarding a modern man-of-war as it is to take a trip to the moon. I remember that during one of the last engagements in European waters a man-of-war belonging to some country ran alongside a British vessel, and all hands were ordered to board her. The crew got out on the Britisher, but after pounding around with cutlasses, axes, etc., were wholly unable to enter the ship, and had to go back and continue the fight at long range. We will have to do our fighting with ships by means of dynamite rams, steel projectiles and the big guns. We have no use for the barbarous side arms and other relics of antiquity."—New York Sun.

The Food of Man.

There is no doubt that man can exist on a vegetable diet. He can obtain from the plant world, digest and assimilate these materials which are needful for the repair of his own tissues. The arts concerned in the preparation of food will also undoubtedly aid him in his conversion of vegetable into animal equivalents and will supplement his powers by shortening considerably the period required for gastric digestion. Still, after all has been said, it must be allowed that the labor of the alimentary tract is better adjusted and the formation of sound tissues more assured, by the use of a mixed diet. If, on the one hand, we assert the proved value of hydrocarbons, but as sources of energy in support of our use of vegetables, we must also maintain that meat which yields us most easily the formative and stimulant proteids can hardly be discarded. Our internal physical formation, which is intermediate between that of the carnivora and herbivora, should afford at least a suggestive clew in our choice of a diet.—London Lancet.

New Kind of Apricot.

A new and hardy variety of apricot is now attracting the attention of fruit growers. It is said to have been brought to this country several years since by the Russian Mennonites, and planted throughout Kansas and Nebraska, where it has proved entirely hardy and healthy, quite productive, bearing a handsome, golden yellow fruit, of medium size, sweet and of good quality.—Chicago Times.

There are now 20,647,000 acres of land in the United States owned by twenty-nine foreign landlords and syndicates. The amount of land thus owned is as large as Ireland.

Mrs. Hopkins has endowed a chair of mental and moral philosophy at Mills College, California, in honor of Mark Hopkins, the venerable ex-President of Williams College. The endowment fund is $50,000. Rev. Dr. Stratton, the new President of Mills College, will fill the chair.

Kearney says the Chinese must go; but before they go, we wish to inform them and everybody else that Adamson's Botanic Balsam continues to win the day in curing coughs, colds, and all difficult breathing. Price 35 and 75 cents. Trial bottles 10 cents.

A new bullion vault is to be constructed at Washington to hold the vast and rapidly increasing hoard of silver dollars.

A folding-bed nearly killed a Chicago woman, who was found suffocated in it, but all broken in two in it.

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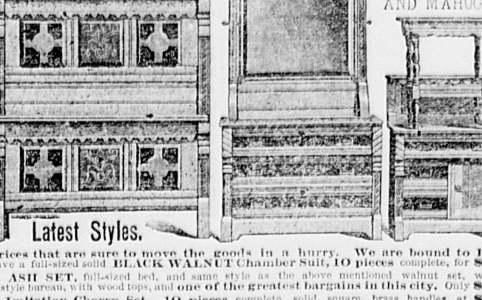

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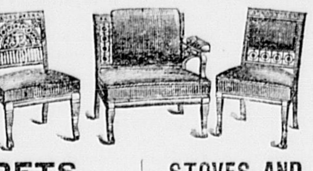

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The Buffalo *Commercial* records the following: "The other day a bewitching nine-year-old did something so outrageously bad according to the maternal code of good conduct that the mother declared she would tell her father. The offender knew that her father loved her above all, but she feared that the offence would certainly provoke even him to wrath. She begged her mother not to tell him, but mother insisted on doing so. Finally the sly puss, coming to her mother, says: 'Mamma, if you must tell papa, tell him after I have gone to bed, and let him sleep on it before he talks to me.'"

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The Hartford *Evening Post* ventures this suggestion:

"In the remarkable letter sent to a Grand Army post which is alleged to have sustained the President's dependent pension veto, Mr. Cleveland complains that men in office 'are to a large extent debarred from those charitable impulses which in private life are not only harmless, but commendable.' Yet, notwithstanding this palpable restraint, the President did, after due and weighty consideration, exercise the 'harmless and commendable' impulse of charity by sending twenty handsome dollars to the sufferers by the Charleston earthquake."

Chicago is discussing the advisability of adding women to its school board.

Miss Thomas, Dean of Bryn Mawr College for Women, is said to receive a salary of $5000 a year.

The New York Board of Aldermen have appointed Miss Minna R. Pollock, a well-known translater and law type writer, as Commissioner of Deeds.

Three ladies who were strolling in the woods near Mendocino, Cal., started a deer, when their dogs caught and held the animal until they cut its throat.

Madame Popp, a Belgian lady editor, was recently given a banquet by the Belgian Press Association to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of her editorship.

Miss Bishop, head mistress of the Oxford (Eng.) High School, has been unanimously elected Principal of the Holloway College. There were sixty-seven candidates for the office.

Miss Lippincott, the daughter of Grace Greenwood, has been unable to pursue her vocation on the operatic stage, owing to loss of voice through a severe cold which she took in Italy last winter.

Miss Mary L. Booth, the editor of *Harper's Bazar*, has been sightseeing in Paris, Rome, Naples and the intervening cities. She expects to visit Switzerland and the Rhine this summer.

The citizens of Winchester, Va., on Monday decorated with handsome wreaths and cut flowers the battle monument erected by the Eighth Vermont Volunteers on the plain in front of their city.

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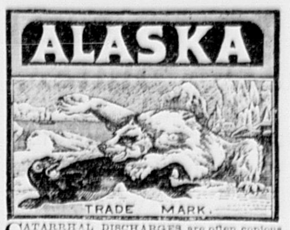

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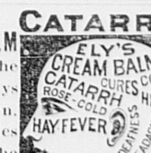

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FOR LAWRENCE at 8.22, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 1.34, 4.21, 5.10, 5.57, 6.41, 7.55, 11.33 P. M. **Sunday**, 9.28, A. M., 5.28, P. M. **RETURN**, 6.40, 7.45, 9.30, 11.00, A. M., 12.05, 1.30, 4.05, 6.03, 9.20, P. M. **Sundays**, 8.55 A. M., 4.25 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.26, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 2.21, 3.21, 5.10, 6.41, 9.25, 11.33 P. M. **Sunday**, 9.28 A. M., 5.28, P. M. **RETURN**, 6.35, 7.17, 7.35, 9.15, 11.00, A. M., 6.00, 6.30, P. M. **Sunday**, 9.00, A. M., 4.30 P. M.

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For Amherst, Milford and Wilton N. H., 7.26 A. M., 3.21, P. M.

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For PENACOOK, FRANKLIN, LEBANON and WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, 7.26, 11.24 A. M., 3.21, 6.41 P. M.

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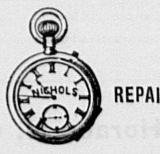

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A chief of guerrilleros had long been laying waste all the environs of the hamlet—which the horrible wars of that country annihilated by all the means which Providence has placed in man's hands against nature—fire, flood and bombardment. This bandit, who like so many others, refused to recognize the supremacy of the emperor's tranquil brother Joseph, was known by the name of Corchuelo. With some two hundred determined fellows like himself, and with the most solid of iron tempered constitutions like his own, Corchuelo had formed a little army, which kept growing larger and larger every day like an avalanche—gathering up along all the Navaresse mountain roads all sorts of tramps and starvelings until this force had become really dangerous, and strong enough to menace the whole northern part of the country. And furthermore, El Empecinado occupied the southern portion of Navarre, so that it was essential at any cost to prevent the union and amalgamation of the the two bands. Accordingly, while Gen. Hugo was looking after El Empecinado, Gen. Vally was charged with the duty of exterminating the army of Corchuelo.

And he succeeded.

Nevertheless, Corchuelo alone had survived the disaster of his followers. A corporal who had observed him in the act of escaping, clinging to the side of a very slippery rock, had tried to pursue him, but had soon lost sight of him. So that the joy of the general's band was dampened; the vague shadow of the bandit passed over it like a cloud.

He could not have gone very far away, the corporal said; for he had been badly wounded; and the brave fellow also declared that he had given him a load of lead to carry away with him.

What could be done? The French force returned to San Gael. The general posted up a hasty notice—promising 1,000 francs reward to whomsoever should bring him the head of Corchuelo.

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A month had passed. The mountain had become tranquil again; and the few shepherds of the locality had brought back their meager goats to graze upon the scanty tufts of short grass.

One of these shepherds known as Juanillo—a handsome lad with a fine complexion and bright eyes, who used to go to San Gael every evening to sell the milk of his goats—was wending his way home one night, turning from time to time to look down upon the little town that lay so prettily at the foot of the mountain. Juanillo lived in a rocky hollow far up among the heights—a light fence in front of his dwelling served as an inclosure of the grazer's fold.

The place was picturesque, but gloomy—a sort of natural amphitheatre surrounded by gray rock, which at one extremity touched each other above an open space, so as to leave visable a bit of sky which served as a horizon. For any except a goathered and his goats the place was almost inaccessible. But Juanillo climbed up along the verge of the ravines whistling a melancholly air as he proceeded, and continuing the entrance of the hollow he uttered three short, sharp cries, pausing a moment between each; then he climbed over the rocky wall of his home.

"Buenas noches!" he exclaimed. A man who had been lying in the grass at the foot of the fence, arose and responded:

"Buenas noches!"

Judging from his miserable attire he would have been taken for a peasant, a torn handkerchief, was bound round his head. He appeared to be about thirty years of age; he was tall and gaunt, with melancholy features.

"Nothing new?" he asked.

"Nothing," replied Juanillo. The French are still there. They are hunting for Corchuelo; and the general has promised a great deal of money to whoever gives him up; but the mountain is sure and friends are true—if Corchuelo is still alive he will not be betrayed be either of them; if he be dead, may God take his soul!"

Juanillo uncovered his head as he uttered these words, and then added:

"Death is a sure refuge."

"Yes," answered the man; "I have been thinking about it."

"Why?" asked the young shepherd in his simple way. "Are you not safe here? Rest assured that though I am young, I have learned not to talk too much. I never so much as asked you your name when I welcomed you here, almost dead, and dressed your wounds. Stay here just as long as you wish; we'll always have milk and bread, fruit and fresh water enough. As for shelter it is not I who offer it; it is He that made the mountain."

"You are a good lad," responded the stranger. "Tell me: Corchuelo and his comrades had their wives and children with them; did the cursed French kill them all?—do you know whether any of them escaped?"

"Not a single one—they are all dead. And the general's soldiers sang in San Gael that evening so terribly that they frightened all the people. They say Corchuelo's wife and child were there; if he is still alive himself, I pity him!"

"Yes," answered the mysterious individual," there is nothing in the world for him now."

"When a man loves a woman, and she dies, it must be like tearing his heart out."

"You think so? You seem to know something about it?"

"Yes, I am in love with a girl of San Gael—enough to die for her."

"Why don't you marry her?"

"Ah! there's the trouble. She's old Ferraguzza's daughter—old Ferraguzza, you know, who keeps the old iron shop near the Zadowa bridge. The old man loves money and he told me I could have his daughter if I brought him twenty of those gold pieces the French call Napoleons."

"So he wants to sell her to you?"

"He says that will serve for her dowry; and that he will invest it for me in his business."

The stranger stood up, and fixed his eyes upon the stip of twilight sky still visible through the cleft of the lofty rocks. He muttered to himself:

"That would be a good arrangement!—one unhappy man less, two happy people more!"

Then he added aloud:

"Little friend, you shall have your Dolores. I am going down to San Gael after nightfall."

"Par los Santas what are you thinking about. Your legs will never be able to carry you that far!"

"My legs are strong, little friend; and I have no Dolores of my own to see now." He sighed; then exclaimed in a merry tone: "Come, let us dine!"

An hour later, when the night had fallen over all the landscape, and the moonlight alone illuminated the slumbering valley, the man slowly descended the mountain, toward the city below. He made his way directly to the French outposts.

"Qui vive!" cried a sentinel.

The man replied:

"I want to see the general about something."

And a few moments after, escorted by a sergeant and two soldiers, the man was conducted into the presence of Gen. Vally, who had suddenly awakened with a start. He had imagined a sudden alarm—had dreamed that Corchuelo's band had been reformed and had invaded San Gael.

"Who are you?" he asked.

"I want to talk to you about Corchuelo."

"Ah! Corchuelo. Here is at least the tenth party who promises to deliver up the rascal. And not one of them knows where he is."

"I know."

"That's what they all say!" cried the general, with an oath. "I want to hear no more of it. Sergeant! take this man to the guardhouse, and lock him up for the night."

"I know where Corchuelo is," reiterated the Spaniard with vehemence. "Pay me twenty napoleons, and he's yours!"

"You can have fifty if you tell the truth. But here! remember this: if you try to deceive me, or fail to deliver up the brigand, you shall be punished; I'll have you put in jail."

"All right," replied the man, with a smile of disdain.

"Well, then, where is he?—tell me!"

The Spaniard put out his hand, and explained that he wanted to have the gold first, and to be allowed to deposit it in a place of safety;—they could send as many soldiers with him as they pleased. Then he would deliver up Corchuelo—not before.

The general shouted, swore, stormed, threatened, refused and finally accepted the terms, finding himself conquered by the obstinacy of the mysterious informer, who appeared so sure of himself. He paid him down the promised sum, sent a strong force of men to accompany him, and awaited the result with impatience.

"Infernal rascals, these Spaniards!" he muttered, pulling away at his pipe with fury. "For a miserable 1,000 francs! After all, that Corchuelo is a brave fellow! Infernal scoundrels!"

An hour afterward the escort returned, and drew up in order before the general. The Spaniard advanced.

"Well, so you've hidden your gold, eh?" said Vally in a sneering tone.

"Afraid it might be taken away from you again, little Judas, eh? And Corchuelo?"

The man shrugged his shoulders, spit on the ground, stuck his hands into his pockets, and then simply observed—looking away into vacancy as if he did not really know what he was saying:

"I'm the man."

Utterly dumbfounded, and hardly knowing what to say himself, Vally first exclaimed, "Ah!"—then, with a burst of laughter, he roared out:

"You are making game of me, you infernal scamp!"

"You have my description," said the man who called himself Corchuelo. "See for yourself. Look; here's the scar of the wound in the arm that I got the other day; and here, on my breast, is my name, tatooed by the San Gael blacksmith. If that doesn't satisfy you, you can ask any of the people round here."

And he exposed his broad, hairy breast on which appeared—pricked in blue letters with a hot needle, the name—CORCHUELO.

The general had ceased to laugh; but he could not understand. In a gentler voice he asked:

"But what do you want to give yourself up for?"

"My friends are dead, my wife is dead, my child is dead—you killed them all. I've lost even the old rifle I thought so much of. So I just said to myself; 'Here! what's the good of living, anyhow?' Then there was a young shepherd who took care of me when I was wounded, and who wanted twenty napoleons to marry his sweetheart, old Ferraguzza's daughter. Poor Juanillo, if you'd seen him when I gave him the gold!—cried and kissed my hand. Asked me when I was going away, if I expected to meet my Dolores. I told him 'Yes.'"

Corchuelo ceased to speak, put his hands in his pockets, and whistled.

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In the morning he was identified by the people of San Gael; and the general, greatly affected by the pride and heroism of the man, summoned him to his presence and said:

"Listen; I am obliged to kill you. If I had my own way, you rascal, I would send you back to your mountains and your liberty. You are as grand as the revolution, as grand as the emperor! But I am under orders. You are a soldier also—you understand that you must die."

Corchuelo nodded and replied:

"That's what I came here for."

"Now, tell me if there's anything that I can do for you?" said the general. "Is there anything which you would like me to do?"

The bandit thought for a moment, and then said:

"Give me a loaded pistol; let me say my prayers, and when you give the command 'fire!' Corchuelo will cease to be Corchuelo."

The general looked at the man as Napoleon would have looked at Cæsar, as Leonidas would have looked at Hannbial, then he replied:

"It shall be done."

In a few minutes all the troops left at San Gael were musing in the camp, and drawn up in battle array before a hillock which arose in the centre of the camping ground. It was about 6 o'clock in the evening and the sun was sinking in the horizon. Upon the hillock Corchuelo and the general stood alone, in attitudes which seemed at that moment supernatural, so much grandeur did the circumstances and the character of the man who was about to die lend to the occasion.

Not a soldier present moved; above the immobility of the men there moved only the steely shiver of the bayonets, which the dying sun now ensanguined with his red light. Corchuelo was gazing at the mountain where Juanillo was probably, even at that instant, pressing to his heart Dolores, the daughter of old Ferraguzza. Gen. Vally, holding a pistol which he had himself loaded, seemed to be waiting the moment when the grandiose bandit should ask for death of his own accord.

Then, suddenly, Corchuelo, kneeling down, fixing his eyes upon the sun, exclaimed in a very loud voice:

"Padre nuestro, que estas en los Cielon."

A shiver ran through all the line of bayonets; and the general bared his head. Then a great silence came; a great weight oppressed all heats. It was even such an emotion as might be felt while awaiting the awful last act of a tragedy of Æschylus.

Rising to his feet again, and taking the loaded pistol from the general's hands, Corchuelo put the muzzle of the weapon into his own mouth, and waited.

Clearing his throat, and stiffening his attitude, the general coughed a little, and then, in a quick military tone, gave the word:

"Fire!"

The sun had just disappeared behind the mountain.—*Times-Democrat. Transiation from Jules Perrin in La Figaro.*

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Ireland.

In "Fifty Years of National Progress, 1839—1887," by Michael G. Mulhall, F. S. S., published a few months since by George Routledge and Sons, London, the following concerning Ireland may be found on page 114:

The present reign [Victoria] has been the most disasterous since that of Elizabeth, as the following statistics show; Died of famine [in the 50 years], 1,225,000; persons evicted, 3,668,000; number of emigrants, 4,186,000. Evictions were most numerous immediately after the Famine, the landlords availing themselves of the period of greatest calamity to enforce their "rights." Official returns give the number of families, and these averaging 7 persons we ascertain the ascertain the actual number of persons evicted:

Years.	Families.	Persons.
1849—51	263,000	1,841,000
1852—60	110,000	770,000
1861—70	47,000	329,000
1871—86	104,000	728,000
Total	524,000	3,668,000

The number of persons evicted is equal to 75 per cent of the actual population. No country, either in Europe or elsewhere, has suffered such wholesale extermination. Emigration since 1837 has amounted to a number equal to 84 per cent of the present population; In 1837—50, 1,085,000; 1851—60, 1,231,000; 1861—70, 867,000; 1871—86, 1,003,000; total, 4,186,000.

Existing Irish settlements abroad and the estimated wealth in their possession show that the bulk of the emigrants were good citizens, of thrifty and industrious habits, viz.

	Number.	Wealth, Million £
United States	2,040,000	388
Canada	1,053,000	111
Australia	666,000	132
Buenos Ayres	27,000	18
Cape Colony &c	25,000	6
Total	3,811,000	655

In one generation 4 million emigrants, who left home penniless, have become possessed of real and personal property to the amount of 655 millions sterling, besides having sent home to their friends since 1851 a sum of 32 millions. This shows an average accumulation of 14 millions yearly, or £7 per head on the medium number of exiles since 1837.

Brace Up.

Your are feeling depressed, your appetite is poor, you are bothered with Headache, you are fidgetty, nervous, and generally out of sorts, and want to brace up. Brace up, but not with stimulants, spring medicines, or bitters, which have for their basis very cheap, bad whisky, and which stimulate you for an hour, and then leave you in worse condition than before. What you want is an alterative that will purify your blood, start healthy action of Liver and Kidneys, restore your vitality, and give renewed health and strength. Such a medicine you will find in Electric Bitters, and only 50 cents a bottle at W. W. Hill's Drug Store.

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Our Dumb Friends.

AUDUBON SOCIETIES.

The editors of *Forest and Stream* have inaugurated a noble work, and one that was exceedingly necessary. Becoming impressed with the enormous destruction of bird life that has been occasioned of late years by the cruel fashion the ladies have of wearing birds' skins and plumage for ornament, they established the Audubon Society, which has now an immense number of branch societies in the cities and villages of the East. The object of the society is, primarily, to bring about a cessation of bird destruction, simply on account of the enormous loss it had already entailed on agriculture, besides having seriously thinned out the beautiful song birds and game birds, both forest and aquatic. Incidentally, the idea of humanity is promulgated, but *Forest and Stream* leaves the direct advocacy of the latter element to papers, whose sole purpose is the inculcation of humane principles in mankind.

The pledges of the Audubon societies bind their members to avoid mere wanton bird destruction; to stop, wherever possible, the abominable practice of robbing birds of their eggs and young; and to the total cessation of wearing birds' skins or plumage as articles of ornament. One exception, however, is made in the latter case. Ostrich plumes are not forbidden by the pledges, because, notwithstanding the pain that must be inflicted on these big birds when they are annually plucked of their plumage, the promoters of the movement regard this as a small evil in comparison with the great profit that results from ostrich culture. Though we differ from this view, we heartily commend to our readers the general purposes of the Aubudon societies.

BIRD TRIMMING FOR BONNETS.

One day a pupil of the painter Gros came into his studio with a superb butterfly, which he had just caught, pinned to his cap. The artist was so much excited by the sight of the fluttering insect that he exclaimed angrily: "What! unfortunate young man, is this the demonstration of your love for beautiful! You find a charming creature and crucify and kill it in the most barbarous manner. Go, never more enter this studio—never let me see your face again!"

What would the artist say to our ladies who encourage the wholesale slaughter of the birds that they may enhance their own beauty at the expense of the feathered innocents?

Romeo, the elephant, amused himself in various ways during a recent steamboat voyage on the Mississippi from New Orleans to Cincinnati. He made himself quite free with the freight that was within his reach, and tumbled boxes, barrels and bales around promiscuously. At Vicksburg, the hawser, a heavy cable some three inches in diameter, was used to tie up the boat. The observing Romeo saw the deck-hands haul it in once or twice, when he concluded that he could do it himself quite as well as the dozen men. As long thereafter as he was kept on the forecastle he handled the hawser, so far, at least, as hauling it was concerned. The deck-hands dragged it out and made it fast, but the moment it was untied the elephant seized it with his trunk and hauled it aboard. The bell-wires running from the pilot-house to the engine-room passed under the cabin floor directly over his back. He evidently noticed that when the wires moved the bell rang. He began to ring the bells himself by pulling the wires with his trunk. The first time he jerked the bell-wire the engineer stopped the boat. "What's the matter?" asked the pilot, through the speaking-tube. "Nothing," responded the engineer. "What did you stop her for?" "Because you rang the bell." "I didn't ring." "Ting-a-ling-lingling!" clattered the bell as if there were spirits in it. The engineer rushed out just in time to catch Romeo jerking the wire, and the mystery was explained.—*Tribute.*

The Mystery Solved.

It has always been understood that Consumption was incurable, but it has recently been discovered that Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs is giving more relief than any known remedy. It is guaranteed to relieve and cure Asthma, Bronchitis and Coughs. Call on Charles H. Buss, Druggist, Woburn and get a trial bottle free of cost. Large size 50 cents and $1.

The process of taking beautiful colored photographs has recently been pergected by an English photographer. A negative of the sitter is taken on sensitized plate by electric light. From the negative a positive is produced on a chemically-treated basis by the aid of a solar camera and a spectroscopic arrangement. The image is produced in colors without the aid of hand-work or brush.

The First Confederate Battle-Flags.

From Mrs. Burton Harrison's Recollections of a Virginia Girl in the First Year of the War, we quote the following: "Another incident of note, in personal experience during the autumn of '61, was that to two of my cousins and to me was intrusted the making of the first three battle flags of the Confederacy, directly after Congres had decided upon a design for them. They were jaunty squares of scarlet crossed with dark blue, the cross bearing stars to indicate the number of the seceding States. We set our best stitches upon them, edged them with golden fringes, and when they were finished dispatched one to Johnston, another to Beauregard, and the third to Earl Van Dorn,—the latter afterwards a dashing cavalry leader, but then commanding infantry at Manassas. The banners were received with all the enthusiasm we could have hoped for; were toasted, feted, cheered abundantly. After two years, when Van Dorn had been killed in Tennessee, mine came back to me tattered and smoke-stained from long and honorable service in the field. But it was only a little while after it had been bestowed that there arrived one day at our lodgings in Culpepper a huge, bashful Mississippi scout, one of the most daring in the army,—with the frame of a Hercules and the face of a child. He was bidden to come there by his general, he said, to ask if I would not give him an order to fetch some cherished object from my dear old home—something that would prove to me 'how much they thought of the maker of that flag.' After some hesitation I acquiesced, although thinking it a jest. A week later I was the astonished recipient of a lamented bit of finery left 'within the lines,' a wrap of white and azure, brought to us by Dillon himself, with a beaming face. He had gone through the Union pickets mounted on a load of firewod, and while peddling poultry had presented himself at our town house, whence he carried off his prize in triumph, with a letter in its folds telling us how relatives left behind longed to be sharing the joys and sorrows of those at large in the Confederacy.

The Commander-in-Chief

of the Grand Army of the Republic, Major George S. Merrill. Few remedies are better known in this vicinity than Sulphur Bitters; their sale has been very general throughout this section, and the number of reliable and well attested cases of beneficial results and recovery by their use, is large and beyond dispute.

Something New.

Outsiders frequently wonder where the railroads obtain proper return for some of the ingenious but costly methods adopted in advertising their lines. One of the latest to attract our attention is a nicely bound 64-page book entitled, "What to Do," containing description and the correct rules of a large number of games suitable for parlor or lawn, which has been issued by the Passenger Department of the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway, and will, we understand, be forwarded postpaid upon receipt of eight cents by C. H. Warren, General Passenger Agent, at St. Paul. It is a book that would ornament almost any table and interest both old and young.

Henry George was cornered by a school girl at the Packard Institute in New York. He said all land was God-given, and therefore for the benefit of all mankind, whereat she inquired if the Netherlands diked in by the Dutch, were not man rescued and rightfully possessed by those whose labor had brought the land out of the sea.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

A REPUBLICAN CLUB.

It is the fashion now in this State to organize Republican clubs and a very good fashion it is. The Central Committee recommend it highly and urge the formation of them in every place where Republicans exist. The reason given is that such clubs as are recommended can be made more serviceable in a political campaign, prove more efficient, and secure better results, than the usual style of organization.

The first steps towards forming a Republican Club in Woburn have been taken. A good committee was raised last Monday evening and invested with full powers to set the ball a rolling. The necessity of a club is felt by all who have an interest in the success of the Republican party, and the opinion prevails that one cannot be put in motion too soon. Early in the fall work for such a club usually begins, therefore the committee ought to get one into running order as early as August, if not before.

☞ It is evident that the Legislature is on its last legs and in the course of a day or two the place that has known it ever since the first of January last will know it no more forever. The term will fall a little short of the usual six months but not much, and full as much work has been done as by any previous session in modern times. It is a way people and papers have of abusing Legislatures, but the one now about to close its existence has given as little reason for such treatment as any that can now readily be called to mind. In fact, it has proved itself by good works to have been a decent sort of a body of men, fair workers, not any more inclined to go astray than others before it, and to have been the authors of a number of very good laws. What more ought we to ask?

☞ Last Tuesday Hon. William E. Chandler, ex-Secretary of the Navy, was elected United States Senator by the New Hampshire Legislature for the short term. Gen. Marston of Exeter and some of his unwise friends threatened to kick up a muss but it amounted nothing, and Mr. Chandler received every Republican vote in both branches. His election ought to be in the highest degree gratifying to every Republican in the country, for he is a stalwart of the true-blue stripe, the ablest statesman in New Hampshire and the peer of the best of them in New England.

☞ Our much esteemed contemporary, the Lynn *Bee*, appeared out one day last week in a bran-new suit in which it looked as sweet as a June rose.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

F. H. Lewis—Music.
L. H. Berry—To Let.
N. Z. Tabor—Salmon.
D. G. Converse—To Let.
Horace Dodd—Fireworks.
Simonds & Boutwell—Dissolution.

— William Andrew Woodward graduated from Tufts College last week.

— Buy the "New Crown" Oil Stove if you want the best. Sold by C. M. Strout.

— Mrs. L. A. Berry offers the residence corner of Salem and Beach Sts. to rent.

— One half of Mr. D. G. Converse's fine house on Church Avenue is for rent. See card.

— Buy the "New Tariff" Range if you want the best, sold by C. M. Strout.

— C. M. Strout says now is the time to have your furnaces and stoves put in repair for winter.

— Burgess advertises big special bargains for to-day and to-morrow. Read his list of prices.

— Simonds and Boutwell have a dissolution notice, business announcement, etc. in this paper.

— To-day the St. Charles Baseball Club went over to Wakefield to give the rattan fellows a hiding.

— Mishawum Lodge, A. O. U. W., initiated two last week, and received other applications for membership.

— Attention is called to the professional card of Mr. F. H. Lewis. More will be said about it next week.

— Dr. Reynolds was elected a member of the State Dental Society at its annual meeting in Boston last week.

— Several handsome open summer cars for the N. W. St. R'y were received here yesterday by Superintendent Jones.

— The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet in the Unitarian church parlor, on Monday, June 20, at 3 P. M.

— Mr. J. B. McDonald recently bought some more real estate at No. Woburn for the accommodation of his coal yard.

— The Innitou Canoe Club hold regular meetings fortnightly. We hope an exhibition of their agility before the summer is over and gone.

— There is to be a teachers railroad excursion from Boston and vicinity to Chicago about the middle of July with the fare for the round trip $22.

— There are two or three applicants for admission to the W. H. for A. Women whose eligibility is being examined by the Home authorities.

— An entertainment will be given by the Tuesday Night Circle at the Baptist church vestry on Thursday evening, June 23. Admission 10 cents.—2.

— Attention is called to the conspicuous card of Walbridge Brothers in this paper. We can recommend them as genuine, true-blue, honest dealers.

— If sufficient encouragement is given Mr. Fred Leeds's Saratoga excursion will come off in July. He will not start it with less than 25 excursionists.

— The contractors are making good progress on the E. M'x St. R'y and the idea prevails that not a great many weeks will elapse before the job is finished.

— The National Band Association will give their annual picnic in Hiawatha Grove on next 4th of July, for which the committee are making active preparations.

— Union street is kept well sprinkled every night by the residents, and if the street was repaired and put in good condition, as it should be, it would be a nice one to live on.

— Edward Heath, Esq., Ex-Mayor of the City of New Orleans, La., and Mr. Charles Heath were the guests of Mr. Geo. W. Junkins at his residence on Franklin street last Sunday.

— As administrator of the estate of Mrs. Mary Gilman, deceased, Mr. James Skinner will shortly sell the desirable residence on Montvale Avenue occupied by Mr. John D. Gilman.

— A good many people are looking for house lots up Montvale Avenue. If the Dow farm could only be opened up for building purposes it would make the finest part of the town for residence.

— Mr. Alonzo T. Young and family left yesterday for Strawberry Hill for the summer. They will remain at that charming seaside resort until September and then return to their pleasant Woburn home.

— An alarm was rung in from box 26 for a brisk fire near the Chemical Works last Saturday, which nearly reached piles of wood. The fire was extinguished before a great deal of damage was done.

— There ought to be a large meeting of Republicans at the Headquarters next Wednesday evening at which time the committee on organizing a Republican Club will report, and probably a club will be formed.

— On Thursday evening, June 23, the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church will give an entertainment and supper in the church. The admission will be free, and tickets to supper and entertainment together 25 cents apiece.

— The National Band Association are meeting with good success in receiving subscriptions for a series of open-air evening concerts on the Common this summer so we hear. The likelihood is that both bands will give these concerts as usual.

— The F. E. M. Club with friends surprised Willie L. Murdock last Saturday evening at his home on Montvale Avenue, the occasion being the seventeenth anniversary of his birthday. A good time was enjoyed and the company separated at a late hour.

— Tabor talks about 4th of July salmon and other good things in the line of fish in the JOURNAL this week. He keeps a complete stock of everything in the shape of fish—a first class market in every respect—and sells cheap. Get a lot of salmon for the 4th.

— L. H. Chadbourne sells a $2.50 low-cut shoe which is a great bargain, also the "Pilgrim" shoe at the same price, which is another. The red flag that floats before his store on Saturday evenings does not mean anarchy, or an auction, but real bargains in boots and shoes.

— Mrs. Cheever, whose millinery rooms are on Montvale Avenue, Dodge Block, respectfully informs the ladies of Woburn and vicinity that, for the next 30 days, she will, for all purchasers of hats and bonnets to the value of $3 and upwards, trim the same free of expense to them. This is a very generous offer.

— The Unitarian Sunday School will give a basket picnic at Lincoln Pond in Lincoln on Saturday, June 25. The School and its friends will go over in barges, at a cost to the former of 25 cents each, and to the latter 50 cents each. It is a delightful drive from here to the Pond and those who go will enjoy it highly.

— Mr. Charles H. Gooding has connected a domestic bakery with his confectionary and icecream rooms which is a handy arrangement. Nice homemade bread, cake, pies, doughnuts, etc. are kept for sale fresh and good and find heaps of customers. It is a cozy place too to step in for a glass of cool milk and a bun when in the mood for such things.

— An item recently appeared in these columns, referring to one Thomas Sunrise, a converted Indian. This man who is a native of New York, belonging to the Oneida tribe, is a preacher, and for years a missionary to his own people. By a special arrangement he will give his experience at the Methodist church next Sunday morning with various information respecting Indian life.

— We made mention last week of Dr. March attending the funeral of a child 6 months old, and on the same day the funeral of a man 82 years old. The error was in the sex and age of the latter. It was a woman's funeral instead of a man's, and she was 94 instead of 82 years old. She was the grandmother of Mr. Cutler, of the firm of Andrews, Cutler & Co., of this town.

— Representatives of the Young Woman's Christian Temperance Unions of Haverhill, Malden, Melrose, Maplewood, Somerville, Jamaica Plain, Woburn, Boston, Allston, Brighton, Lynn, Charlestown, North Weymouth and Bedford visited the institutions on Deer Island, Boston Harbor, last Tuesday and were shown through the various departments by courtesy of the superintendent.

— Mr. John R. Carter and wife, Mr. B. A. Tripp and wife, Mr. B. F. Kimball and wife and Miss Ruth Maria Leathe attended the annual convention of The American Home Missionary Society at Saratoga last week, and enjoyed it very much. They met Mrs. Drake, the Dakota missionary who was here last summer and will come here again in a few weeks.

— A large share of the members of the Woman's Club of this place went to Concord yesterday to visit and inspect the State Reformatory there. They rode over in several barges and must have enjoyed the trip and visit very much. It was the Club's annual picnic, or excursion, or gala-day—just what name they have given their annual outing we do not know—for which good weather and plenty of it was provided.

— Now that parties are looking about for pleasant places to picnic we would commend them to Haggett's Pond, Andover. This lovely place is on the line of RR. from this town. A most delightful day was spent here by the Mount Vernon Church Sunday School of Boston, on Decoration Day. Some members of the Congregational Sunday School of this place accompanied the party and speak in highest praise of the place and its surroundings.

— The trouble is, cold nights. Corn can't possibly make much progress until there is a change in this respect. There comes a day now and then when the weather bears some of the characteristics of the torrid zone, and again parts of others seem to follow in their wake, but as quick as a wink almost the wind wheels into the east or a point of the compass not far remote from it and a chill seizes all nature. And by the time night comes on things are pretty nearly ready for a frost.

— Some merchants complain that trade has been dull this spring, every-one of whom would be surprised on looking over last spring's business to find that they have sold more goods for more money during the months of April and May last past than in the corresponding months 1886. The most of them will find that to be the fact of the case. They will find they have done more business this spring than last and yet they unblushingly affirm that trade was never so dull since Adam.

— If nothing happens to prevent, the business exhibit of the town in the form of cards of leading manufacturers and dealers will be printed on the first page of the JOURNAL next week. The matter was ready for the printer early last week but our columns were so arranged that we could not accommodate the gentleman with space and he was obliged to postpone the publication a week longer. From a glance at the pile we judge that the cards of nearly all the principal business men in town will appear in the exhibit.

— The Unitarian Society talk of building a new parsonage on the lot now occupied by their dwelling for the pastor. The idea is to pull the present to the west end of the lot and on the abandoned site, or quite near it, erect a fine parsonage house to cost some $5000 or $6000. After moving it the old house will be fitted up in good shape and rented. A parish meeting to act on this matter was held last Monday evening, but it being discovered that a satisfactory notice of it had not been given it was adjourned for a week or so.

— There was a musical treat for those who were present at the entertainment in the Congregational vestry last Thursday evening. Mrs. C. M. Strout and Mrs. Luce were in their best voice and pleased the company with their selections of song. Mr. Rogers's cornet playing was much enjoyed. Miss Mabel Cutler's, a new voice to most who heard her, left the desire with all to hear her again. Miss Eva Clark's rare talent at the piano carried the audience by storm. We predict for this gifted lady a brilliant future in her chosen art.

— The Woburn Brass Band will give the first of the season's open-air concerts on the Common next Wednesday evening June 22, with the following

PROGRAMME.

1.	March. Capt. Keysers.	Rollinson.
2.	Overture. Rip Van Winkle.	Arr. Brookers.
3.	Polka. Agnes Clarionet Solo. performed by J. A. Brauer.	Rowe.
4.	Danza Mexicana. Roses & Thorns.	Avilles.
5.	March. Mitchels.	Taylor.
6.	Selection. War Songs. by request.	Beyer.
7.	Schottische. Berkley Hall.	Rowell.
8.	Waltz. Of the Period.	Schock.
9.	Medley. Black Brigade.	Beyer.
10.	Finish.	Brahm.

T. H. MARRINAN, Leader.

— It is said that the Gaslight Co. under the new order of things have talked over the matter of furnishing gas for heat and domestic purposes and concluded to sell it so cheap that it will be good economy to buy and use it instead of wood and coal. Illuminating gas is to be kept at the present price, $2 per 1000 feet, but the cooking and heating gas, through a special metre, will be furnished at considerably lower figures. And right here we plead ignorance as to how the thing is to be done unless the gas for heating, etc., is to be of a poorer quality, and if so, then we are in just about as much of a quandary as ever. But then mebby there is no foundation for the report, anyway.

— Last Decoration Day Harry G. Hartwell went up to Bedford to hunt for a white crow, induced to do so, no doubt, by rumors of the discovery of such a *rara avis* a year or two since by a Bedfordite. At any rate Harry found the tree that day and on further investigation the white crow was brought to light. It was lying in the nest of two as black crows as are often seen with other young as sombre-hued as the parent birds. Being too small to remove from its mates Harry left this strange discovery where it was and returned home to wait until it had got more age over its head. On last week Thursday the lad sought the nest again and found his crow intact. It was almost as large as its mother, as white as snow, with pink eyes, and a strange production of the blackest specimens of the feathered creation that flies, always excepting the raven, of which they are first cousins. A white crow is a remarkable sight and few people ever saw one. The bird at last accounts was as lively as a cricket. The Bedford boys ought to be a little ashamed of themselves to let a Woburn lad go on to their preserves and secure such a wonderful prize as Harry Hartwell did right under their noses.

— There was a meeting of the School Board last Tuesday evening at which all the members were present except Bond.——It was voted to close the schools to-day, 17th, Bunker Hill day, to give them a chance to celebrate.——The appointment of teachers was discussed but nothing done on the premises.——Communications were received from Miss Alice M. Nelson and Miss Millie Gilcreast, which were properly disposed of.——All the schools will be given Wednesday afternoon, June 29, to attend the graduating exercises of the High School.——The final close of the schools will take place on Friday, July first.——Adjourned to next Wednesday evening when the teachers will be appointed.

— A tennis tournament began quite early this morning on the Woburn Tennis Company's Court on Highland street and will continue all day. The best players in town will participate and the engagement will be a hot and closely contested one. We are not informed whether members of the Highland Club have been admitted to the tourney and will play to-day or not, but probably not, as they have hardly advanced sufficiently in the science of the game to be permitted to contest for victories and possible prizes with the semi-professionals of some of Woburn's more advanced clubs. No doubt the Company's court will be lined with interested spectators of the games this afternoon for they will be good ones.

— There was a big fire in the tannery of C. J. Bishop & Co. at Cummingsville between 1 and 2 o'clock yesterday morning. The tan-house and one storeroom were totally destroyed and some of the other buildings injured. The total loss was about $35,000, which was insured to the amount of $27,000 in companies represented by Mr. B. T. H. Porter of this place. The tannery was running full handed and its loss will throw many workmen out of employment. It will probably be rebuilt at once. The burning made a splendid sight and the flames must have been seen at a great distance. The firemen worked nobly to save the premises, but a leather manufactory is a tough thing to handle when it gets on fire.

— The other day we saw in the hands of a prominent citizen a request to the Board of Selectmen to call a Town Meeting for the purpose of beginning operations on a city charter, but what has become of it we can't say. If it has not already it will be presented to the Board in due season probably and soon after the 4th the campaign for a city government will open in real earnest. Of course nothing can be done while a big celebration is being prepared for, but as soon as that is over then a Town Meeting will be in order and the Board will no doubt cheerfully and promptly comply with the wishes of nine-tenths of the voters of the town to have one held as soon as it conveniently can be after getting over the effects of the 4th.

— It is whispered about that complete harmony does not prevail in the councils of our School Board on the subject of teachers. One or two, especially one, of the members is disposed to "kick" at the reappointment of a certain prominent teacher at the salary heretofore paid, and that his objections have produced unpleasant feelings. As the Board's sessions, or parts of sessions at which appointments are made are quasi executive, or more fully so than the word quasi would indicate, of course the JOURNAL reporter finds it up-hill work to get at things respecting this part of the deliberations of the Board, and therefore we cannot vouch for the accuracy of the rumor above mentioned, yet it may safely be set down that everything is not entirely lovely, peaceable, gentle and harmonious at their meetings.

— Two amateur base-ball clubs known as the Uptown Club and the Downtown Club met in Frost's Field on Wednesday afternoon and crossed swords. Harry Marion was Umpire, Webster Woodman, Scorer, another man Time-keeper, and a full complement of ballist on both sides with any quantity of spectators ready to step in in case of emergency. The game was played in total disregard of rules and in the most terrific manner from the start. The Downtowners had more agility and grit; the Uptowners more bottom, or staying powers—both were composed of gentlemen who hold the belt for ignorance of the great American game. You ought to see the score! We mean the paper it was kept on. Well, the Uptowns made 42 runs and the Downtowns 3 runs, therefore the Uptowners were victorious.

— The adjourned meeting of the Republican Town Committee was held at the headquarters on last Wednesday evening to hear and act on the report of a committee on the organization of a Republican Club, after the manner of the counsel of the State Committee and example of a great many towns and cities in the Commonwealth. Mr. N. J. Simonds, Chairman of the Town Committee, presided. Mr. F. H. Lewis had prepared an elaborate report on the subject. It was finally concluded to submit the matter of forming such a club to the wisdom of a committee of six, with full power to act in the premises. Such a committee, consisting of Griffin Place, E. E. Thompson, C. H. Kimball, F. H. Lewis, F. A. Buckman and William N. Titus, was appointed, and they were instructed to draw up a plan for the organization and report next Wednesday evening.

— The Chautauqua Circle held its final meeting for the present season last week. The attendance was fairly up to the average. The roll-call elicited some brief though choice gems from the best French authors. The able essay of the preceding session, upon Town and City Government, was very neatly reproduced in substance, according to the practice of the Secretary, Miss Hayward, in her interesting reports. The Circle was then favored with one of the most important talks of the season, by Mr. Brown, the superintendent of the Almshouse. His topic was the mode of life and of management in such institutions, and it is only faint praise to say that probably not one of the hearers had ever before been favored with so clear nor so interesting a view of the subject. Several thrilling incidents were told, illustrative of the trying and often perilous nature of the duties required.

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— A tanner at Gainsville, Ga., is shipping large quantities of unfinished leather to Boston because, while he can tan the leather much cheaper than it can be done in Massachusetts, it can be finished better and cheaper there, owing to the use of improved machinery. —*Herald.* It is only by the invention of labor-saving machines and their liberal use in leather manufacturing that the industry is kept here in New England. Such is the case too in other branches of manufacturing. If it was not that New England genius invents the machines and New England money adopts and utilizes them the West would be away ahead of Massachusetts to-day in the production of its tanneries, factories, mills, etc. But by keeping on constantly turning out useful inventions and employing them in the production of leather, cloth, furniture, and a thousand other things, this section of the Union manages to keep ahead and prosper.

— Rev. Leander Thompson was pastor of a church at West Amesbury during the War of the Rebellion and feeling a lively interest in the soldiers who went from that town and neighborhood as well as everywhere else and becoming acquainted with a great many of them, he used to receive from "the front" many tokens of remembrance from them in the shape of almost everything "the boys" thought he would be interested in. Among other articles he received one day a book of records from Charles City C. H., in Virginia, which is now 135 years old. The records, quaint in themselves, were curiously written out in the style of a century and a half ago, and therefore a great curiosity. Mr. Thompson has for some time been desirous of returning the ancient volume to its ante-Rebellion repository, but has seen no good way to do so. He has now deputized his brother, Mr. Abijah Thompson, to take the book to Boston to-day and with the aid of Capt. J. P. Crane, who is prominent in the reception of the visiting Confederate Veterans from Virginia now being entertained by the Boston G. A. R., see if he cannot through these Veterans get it back to its lawful home. Mr. Thompson is in the city to-day and will have Capt. Crane's aid in getting acquainted with the Virginia Veterans and securing a conveyance home of the book.

— To-day is the 112th anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill and if anybody here wants to see the granite shaft, 221 feet high, that stands on the spot where the conflict was hottest on that memorable day all he has got to do is to ascend to the top of Rag Rock, climb to the crown of Mt. Pleasant (Turkey Hill), or scale the almost perpendicular sides of Horn Pond Mountain, look southeastward and behold it standing there in all its glory. June 17, 1775, was a big day for America and a sorry one for England. It was the second clinch in the War of Independence—the Battle of Lexington and Concord Fight being first—and it was a virtual victory for our side—at any rate it was not one for the British troops. Woburn men were in the Bunker Hill conflict of arms, and others listened to the roar of cannon and watched the smoke that gathered over the hills of Charlestown from home doorsteps with intense interest while the battle was fought on that hot June day. Old Mr. Fowle, when alive, used to tell us about his grandfather planting corn and listening to the battle sounds that day in the same field where the grandson was doing the same thing more than 100 years after, and it was interesting to hear him tell about it. At Charlestown, as usual, the anniversary is being celebrated in good style, but here and elsewhere not much note is taken of the day although one of the most important and memorable in the history of America.

MID-SUMMER TERM

AT THE

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Begins Monday, June 27, 1887.
Reception hours, 10 to 12 A. M., and 6 to 7 P. M., daily.

F. H. LEWIS, Principal.

— Last Wednesday afternoon and evening class exhibitions in music were given at High School Hall by pupils selected from the various departments which went off in a highly satisfactory manner. In the afternoon the exhibition, or more properly, class exercises, were by representatives of the primary schools, and in the evening a regular free concert was given by pupils from the upper departments. It had been, is now, and always will be probably a question in the minds of many people whether teaching music in public schools amounts to anything or not. No small portion of them think it costs more than it comes to. Others do not approve of the practice because it piles too much on the already overloaded shoulders of children and taxes their young minds too severely and sometimes dangerously; while a few think music as taught in our public schools amounts to but little at the best. But these exhibitions under the excellent management of Mr. Marshall, the teacher, ought to have had a tendency to correct some of these bad notions and did, most likely. The pupils acquitted themselves splendidly both from the primary and grammar departments, and the music they gave the large hallful of visitors was excellent. The entertainments and the fine shape in which the scholars performed their parts proved, if proof were wanting, that Mr. Marshall is a competent, efficient and successful music teacher.

Selectmen's Meeting.

A special meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held on last Monday evening to consider several important matters at which all the members were present. Chairman James Skinner presided and Clerk John Ferguson presided at his desk.

A note for the town for $15,000 was approved.——John Walsh, W. H. Curtis, E. Prior, S. E. Wyman and C. R. Brown were granted permit to keep and sell fireworks on the 1, 2 and 4th of July.——Bryan Joyce was appointed special police without pay for Emerald Hall.——A petition for the release from the Concord Reformatory of the Dunnigan boy was referred to the Overseers of the Poor.——It was voted to grant the Police force a vacation of two weeks.——Mr. Edward Simonds, ex-tax-collector, appeared before the Board and read names of delinquent tax-payers. Voted that he, the tax-collector for 1881, 2, 3, 4, proceed to collect the unpaid taxes of those years at once, and report to the Board at an adjourned meeting of the same to be held for the purpose of receiving such report and acting on it. Adjourned to two weeks, to meet on Monday evening, June 27, to receive said report.

As there has been a great deal said on the subject involved in the following correspondence, and considerable feeling has been engendered by discussion and otherwise, we give Clerk Ferguson's request for a legal opinion, and Solicitor Maguire's reply thereto, below, which documents explain themselves:

WOBURN, June 6, 1887.

To J. G. Maguire, Esq., Solicitor of Woburn;

SIR: Have the Selectmen authority to approve bills for Extra Military Aid? This money is paid to the dependents of soldiers and is not taken out of the fund appropriated for "Outside Relief" and the parties receiving it are not classed under the head of paupers.

Yours &c.
(Signed) JOHN FERGUSON,
Clerk of Selectmen.

WOBURN, June 10th, 1887.

John Ferguson, Esq., Clerk Board of Selectmen, Woburn, Mass.;

DEAR SIR:—Your favor of the 6th inst requesting my opinion regarding the power of the Selectmen to approve orders on, or to give warrants to, the treasurer to pay money to widows and other dependants of soldiers who served in the war of the rebellion and were credited to the quota of Massachusetts, and charge the same to "Extra Military Aid" duly came to hand and contents noted.

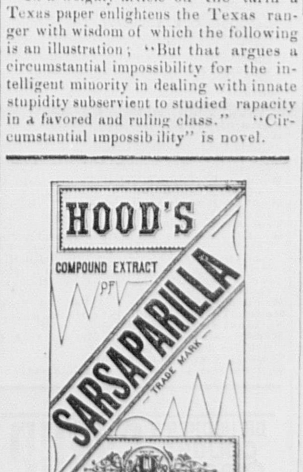
In reply thereto would say: in my opinion the Selectmen, under the statutes of this Commonwealth, do not possess the power to issue such orders, or warrants, to the treasurer to pay the same, as the legislature has not delegated the power to cities or towns to appropriate and raise, by taxation, the money to be applied wholly or in part to the support of this class of persons: and I might further add, if the legislature had delegated to cities or towns the power to appropriate money for such a laudable purpose, the town has made no provision for the payment thereof out of the taxes of the current year. I remain, most respectfully,

Your obedient servant,
JOHN G. MAGUIRE, Solicitor.

North Woburn.

The statement in the JOURNAL that J. O. Cummings had leased his leather factory was incorrect. Mr. Cummings occupies it and continues to be proprietor and boss of his business.

In a weighty article on the tariff a Texas paper enlightens the Texas ranger with wisdom of which the following is an illustration; "But that argues a circumstantial impossibility for the intelligent minority in dealing with innate stupidity subservient to studied rapacity in a favored and ruling class." "Circumstantial impossibility" is novel.



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In Woburn, June 14, Catharine Mathews, 64 years.
In Havenville, Kansas, June 4, Frank Caldwell Allen, a native of Woburn, aged 23 years.
In Woburn, June 12, George M. Starbuck of Bridgewater, son of the late Hon. William C. Starbuck formerly of Nantucket, 57 years, 7 months, 5 days.
At Havensville, Kansas, on June 4th, Frank C. Allen, son of the late Charles Allen of Woburn, where the deceased had many relatives and friends.

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WINCHESTER.

The Waldmeyer Hose Co., and Huse "hookies" have bought new uniforms.

H. W. Hight and Sumner Richardson went to Court last Monday as traverse jurors.

Next Sunday will be "Children's Day" at some of the churches in town and so observed.

The fire department has replaced the old 15-foot ladders with the Boston 40-foot ladder, the best made or used in the United States.

Ellis & Co. have finished the foundation of the new Town House and good judges say it is the best piece of stone mason work ever done in Winchester.

Next Sunday evening Rev. J. Minot Savage of Boston will preach at the Unitarian church at 7 o'clock. He will probably have a very large audience.

That bit of park in embryo at the corner of Main and Washington streets, recently bought by the town, is a repulsive looking piece of real estate at the present time.

Calumet Club has received a cordial invitation from John B. Rhodes to make him a visit next week at his summer residence at Marblehead Neck and go fishing with him. They talk now of going next Thursday.

Last week Rev. Mr. Seymour, pastor of the Congregational church here, Mrs. Clara Parker, Mr. H. Parker and wife and several other citizens attended the great meeting of the American Home Missionary Society held at Saratoga.

Bedford Springs, a popular health and pleasure resort at Bedford, this county, has a fine hotel connected with it which Mr. Adams of this place will have the management of this summer. The hotel, grounds, etc., are the property of a company.

The following order for visiting the schools of the town has been made and duly promulgated: Mystic, June 14; Highland, June 14; Highland, June 15; Gifford, June 16; Hill, June 20; Wyman, June 20; Rumford, June 21; Washington, June 21; Center Grammar, June 22; Chapin, June 23; High, June 24. These visitations except the High will occur in the forenoon.

Last week Rev. Joshua Coit and lady, Mr. and Mrs. Conant, and other good Winchester people attended the 61st anniversary of the American Home Missionary Society which was held at Saratoga, where the annual meeting has been held for several years and where it was voted to hold it next year notwithstanding the efforts made to secure for some central point further west.

Architect Adams has been paid $1000 for his plans of a new Town House which were accepted by the first building committee and subsequently rejected by the present committee. I hear that the town paid him $1000 for a full release of his claim against the committee, or in satisfaction of the same, which was a small remuneration, but better than an endless and pocket-exhausting lawsuit.

The Bethany Society located at the Highlands recently held an election of officers which resulted as follows: Clerk, J. Winslow Richardson; treasurer, Henry Smalley; standing committee, E. Lawrence Barnard, Luther Richardson, John E. Rice, A. C. Bell, Mrs. Luther Richardson, Mrs. John E. Rice, Miss Grace Lawrence. One hundred dollars was appropriated for grading the grounds.

Chief of Police J. Winslow Richardson has made the following report of his department for the last quarter: Arrests, 12; as follows: drunks, 4; larceny, 1; non-support, 1; violation liquor law, 1; assault, 1; peddling, 1; cruelty to animals, 1; malicious mischief, 1. Disposition—House of Correction, 5; delivered to othea officers, 2; paid fines and costs, 3; on file, 1; appealed, 2; liquor search warrants served, 8; disturbances suppressed, 5; cases investigated, 22; buildings found open, 5; lodgers entertained, 144.

Why is it that not more of the streets are watered during the very dusty period. Is the centre of the town the only part that is entitled to receive it?—*Cor. of Advertiser*. There she blows! I thought it about time for somebody to lift up his voice and rail at the street-sprinkler. I've been looking for it for a month. Is the CENTRE to have the earth while the outskirts droop and perish by the wayside? Never! The Centre always gets the lion's share whether entitled to it or not, and now let us wait and see what effect the howl of the *Advertiser* reporter will have on wetting down our streets.

Samuel James Elder, Esq., is the best tennis player in Winchester, and I should not be a bit afraid to pit him against the best they have anywhere around here, although they say Arlington has some neat players. Mr. Elder likes the game, although increasing age ought to warn him to eschew all such childish sports, and plays it for all it is worth. While spending his vacation a summer or two ago at York Beach (*vide* "College Songs") he fairly astonished the natives and awed the hearts of foreigners by his skilful playing and endurance, for he was at it from morning to night, day in and day out. He will play in Woburn some time this season.

The Trustees of the Library have given notice that that institution will be opened for the delivery of books during July and August only on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays, from 4 to 6 o'clock, p. m. on the first named days, and from 4 to 8.30 p. m. on Saturdays. That is a sort of curious idea. At just the season of the year when work and business are dullest and people have the most leisure on hands and need books the most to help while away the leaden-footed hours the Library is closed up nearly all the time. Naturally, I should say, book-takers from the Library would be more numerous during the summer or vacation months, because comparatively speaking only a few persons leave town and the balance of them have more time to read and therefore need more books. But, then, of course the Trustees know best.

BURLINGTON.

Mr. T. S. Curtis opened a new store, in the centre of the town, last Saturday. He has a full line of groceries, fruit and confectionery.

Some mischievous party or parties unknown visited the premises of Mr. George Goodwin, Sunday night, and did considerable damage.

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY.—In the morning at the church the pastor, Rev. Charles Anderson spoke to the children, on the subject of "Duty." At the close of the exercises, Miss Lizzie W. Foster, in behalf the Sunday School, gave the pastor and the superintendent each a beautiful basket of roses. The gifts were entirely unexpected and both recipients were deeply affected with surpise. In the evening, an interesting concert was given by the school. The different parts were promptly recited by the scholars. A dialogue "The way to Life," was well rendered by seven young ladies. The solo singing and recitations were also given in a satisfactory manner. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers, ferns, and mosses.

"We Dig

Our graves with our teeth" is a trite but true saying. CHIPMAN'S PILLS relieve indigestion and cure contingent disorders, such as sick headache, biliousness, etc. They are purely vegetable; mild and pleasant in their action, Try them. For sale by all druggists.

The shipment of California vegetables to Eastern markets is becoming a business of great magnitude. In 1883 the shipments amounted to 5,147,370 pounds, in 1884 to 5,509,880 pounds, and during the first half 1885 to 7,410,510 pounds. A special train of eighteen car loads of potatoes was dispatched from Sacremento June 1.

Children's Day.

Just how long ago the fashion for setting apart the second Sunday in June by the evangelical churches of the country for the use and benefit of the little ones and calling it Children's Day cannot now be definitely determined. Indeed, the habit it is believed did not bloom out all at once and full grown, but the day became such by a not very rapid growth from small beginnings, or an individual practice of some perhaps obscure church and afterwards finding favor in other eyes it was copied with beneficial results, and after awhile it became general and Children's Day was fully and firmly established. The Day does not belong to any particular denomination of Christians, but is kept by Methodists, Baptists, Congregationalists, etc., in a considerable sense as a festival occasion, and by each and all of them is regarded with great favor and as one of the best and most profitable Sundays in the year.

Last Sunday was Children's Day and it was duly and properly kept by the churches of Woburn. In each of them appropriate exercises were held. The sermons and the music and all the forms and ceremonies were produced for the benefit and pleasure of the small folks and in most places of worship the air of things and the exercises resembled more than anything else those of a juvenile religious festival. Everywhere the churches and Sunday School rooms were decorated with flowers and other beautiful growths of the garden, fields and woods and made as attractive and pleasant as possible for all who attended them. The day itself was one of the choicest of June's delightful days. The sun shone bright and cheerful from morning until it set behind the western hills, there were fresh breezes from the West, the temperature was moderate, and so everything was just as though it had been prepared especially for Children's Day.

At the First Congregational church the 69th anniversary of the organization of the Sunday School was celebrated. The attendance was quite large and the exercises interesting, only they were too long for the comfort of participants and spectators. The singing by a selected choir of some 40 or 50 voices superintended by organist Buck, was one of the most enjoyable features of the the evening. The Sunday School contributions were by the juveniles directed by Mr. Lyford, Superintendent of the Primary department. The singing, recitations, declamations, songs, etc., by the little ones were pleasing and showed good training by their teachers. The church was trimmed with flowers, ferns and plants, and while not gorgeous at all it made a good appearance. If the celebration had not been strung out to such an unconscionable length it would have been much better enjoyed, but it was good anyhow. The following was the

ORDER OF EXERCISES.

Processional, "From East and West."
Scripture Reading and Prayer.
Song, "Alleluia! Thanksgiving."
Children's Day Exercise.
Solo, "Answered," Mrs. W. O. Bacon.
Song, "Rejoice To-day."
Song, "The Children's Saviour."
Superintendent's Report.
Song, "Jesus is our Shepherd."
Address
By John Herbert, Esq.
Song, "Shepherd of Tender Youth."
Address by the Pastor.
Chorus, "Unfurl the Gospel Banner."
Benediction.

Woburn Milk.

The products of this ancient and honorable town both natural and artificial are without exception of the best quality. We don't take a back seat for anybody on anything, but when it comes to farm and dairy products and leather we stand at the head of the class. Take the article of milk for example. Our milkmen are honest and they keep honest cows and the result is honest milk and children and adults thrive on it. What does the learned and competent analyst of the State Board of Health say about Woburn milk? In reply to that question we give the following letter received a few days ago by Mr. Fred B. Leeds, Milk Inspector of Woburn;

Office of State Board of Health, 13 Beacon street, Boston.

DEAR SIR: As it may be a matter of interest to you to know the result of a recent inspection of Woburn Milk by our analyst I send you a copy of the result. It is one of the best collections we have made this season, every sample showing an amount of solids above the May and June standard and an average of 13.36. Respectfully yours, S. W. Abbott, Secretary.

F. B. Leeds, Milk Inspector, Woburn Mass.

Salaries of Teachers.

At a late meeting of the School Board the following schedule of salaries for teachers was agreed on.

For a male Assistant—Principal of the High School, $800 the first year; $1000 the second year; $1100 the third year; $1200 the fourth year, which shall be the maximum. For female Assistants in the High School, $450 the first year; $500 the second year; $550 the third year; $600 the fourth year; $650 the fifth year; $700 the sixth year, which shall be the maximum. Female Principals of grammer and primary schools shall receive in addition to salaries under the regular schedule now in force, for each grammar room under their charge (not including own) $25 per annum; for each primary room under their charge (not including their own) $12.50 per annum.

Impurities of the blood often cause great annoyance at this season; Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, and cures all such affections.

Let the Eagle Scream!

Fourth of July Celebration.

Woburn is to have one! The biggest kind of a jubilee too! Last Wednesday evening the committees reported to a meeting of citizens held in the Board of Trade Rooms and so encouraging was everything they had to say about it and so generously had the people given of their worldly substance that a vote to celebrate went through like a Nebraska cyclone and the thing was fixed. Capt. Ed. F. Wyer was chairman of the meeting and Mr. Charles W. Bryant was elected secretary of it. Both gentlemen were just plum full of 4th of July patriotism and enthusiasm, and so was everybody else there.

Messrs. Mark Allen, J. G. Pollard, John S. True, William F. Kenney, Griffin Place, Bryan McSweeney and Francis B. Curran were appointed a committee to retire and bring in the names of 25 persons to constitute a Committee of Arrangements, and they presented the following admirable list of go-ahead, working, patriotic gentlemen to constitute such general committee:

Charles W. Bryant, F. H. Lewis, Mark Allen, William F. Kenney, Lawrence Reade, Thomas H. Hill, E. E. Thompson, E. F. Wyer, F. S. Burgess, George Buchanan, Edw. F. Cassidy, F. A. Buckman, John S. True, J. G. Pollard, Fred J. Brown, H. E. Smith, B. McSweeney, H. M. Aldrich, D. W. Bond, F. P. Curran, C. E. Tripp, J. P. Crane, Milton Moore, Sewell D. Samson, Walter A. Hanson, Jacob M. Ellis.

The idea of everybody was to have a rip-roarer of a celebration and that everything be gotten up regardless. There will be a plenty of money to do it with and some to spare, providing every loyal citizen does his duty in the shape of cash contributions. At anyrate we are to have a celebration on a big scale.

LET THE EAGLE SCREAM,

The Woburn Electric Light and Power Company.

For a few weeks past the above company has been in process of formation, but not until last week did its organization take place. A meeting of stockholders, which are chiefly our townspeople, with Mr. N. J. Simonds the principal holder, was held at the Rooms of the Board of Trade last week which proceeded to organize the Company under the general laws of this Commonwealth, the stock having been previousall paid in. Mr. W. W. Hill was elected temporary clerk of the meeting, and after the usual preliminaries the following Board of Directors was chosen, namely: N. J. Simonds, B. F. Whittemore, S. Frank Trull, L. Thompson, C. H. Buss. Thereafter the Directors elected N. J. Simonds, President; B. F. Whittemore, Treasurer; E. D. Barkhurst, Clerk.

This new Company, in which several of our leading business men are stockholders and whose officers are well and favorably known in this community, bought the electric plant of Mr. N. J. Simonds, that gentleman retaining a majority of the stock, and propose to carry on the business hereafter. It also assumes, as we understand it, Mr. Simonds's contract with the town of Woburn for lighting the streets and will carry out all its provisions to the letter. The change of the property from private hands into the ownership and possession of a company will be for the best interests of all concerned and place the business on a paying basis. Its ownership being divided up among many and they our own citizens creates a stronger interest in the success of the enterprise and sets more to work in its behalf than would otherwise be the case. It is a better arrangement for Mr. Simonds too because the effect of the change of proprietorship will be to unloosen some of his funds by securing them from other interested sources, and thus make matters easier all around. It is expected the new company will extend its occupation to lighting of private buildings and dwellings in due time.

A Cosy Home; How It Was Built.

In the planning and construction of houses up to within a few years, but little attention was paid to houses of small or moderate cost, the efforts of architects being principally expended upon high cost, luxurious mansions. But this is now all changed, and some of the best talent in the architect's profession is employed in designing and elaborating homes for the people that combine a maximum of the best points of a dwelling with a minimum of cost. Among the more recent publications with this end in view is one whose title heads this paragraph. It is written and composed by Mr. Frank L. Smith, a well known architect of 235 Washington street, Boston; and the whole subject, which is illustrated with numerous plans and drawings of cottage, is treated in a way that makes it at once readable, interesting and instructive. Every man who thinks of building a house should obtain a copy of this little work, price 25 cents, and read it.—*Boston Herald*.

The Sun Electric Company.

The business of this Company is gradually increasing and just at the present it has more orders on hand than can be cleverly attended to. Recently contracts for 1200 additional lights have been made with the companies at Philadelphia, Bridgeport and Boston—about 400 lights each—which amounts to a considerable increase over what the Company was previously furnishing those cities. The lamps are also in demand at several principal points, their consumption is growing larger all the while, and of course the contracts of the Company increase in size and number constantly.

At the present time there are 83 persons engaged in one capacity and another at the factory. The financial and other similar business of the establishment is superintended by Mr. Swift, a gentleman of excellent executive ability, while Mr. Slattery, the electrician, has full charge of the manufactury of the goods. The stock of the concern is owned, or at least a controlling share of it, by the Brush Co. of Boston, or rather by members of that Co., who have a plenty of push and money to make the Sun Co. a signal success, of which no one connected with it has the least doubt. Indeed, it is already a success, and a remarkable one considering all the adverse conditions under which it was started.

The lamps which the Sun Co. manufacture are superior to any other made and have established for themselves, on real merit, an enviable reputation among people engaged in manufacturing and furnishing electric light as well as the consumers of it. Its system of distributing electricity is a very valuable patent. The decision of a suit by a heavy Pittsburgh concern in favor of the Sun Co. next week, of which no doubt exists, leaves a clean field with no competetors for the application of the invention referred to, which will be of immense value to the Co. and increase its business many fold at once. Within the next few weeks many more workmen will be employed and a much larger amount of goods turned out, for which there is a brisk demand.

Mr. Swift and others connected with this important industry say the Co. is in a prosperous condition and growing more so every day. Its goods are the best made, for which there is already a wide market, there is practically no limit to the comsumption of them, and as nowhere can they be manufactured, the future of the Sun Co. looks bright and full of promise.

Literary Notices.

PETERSON for July begins a new volume, and we can honestly say that exceptional in merit as it has proved itself this year, the present number is an advance on its predecessors. The steel-engraving, The Pet Rabbit, is of rare beauty. A new serial begins, by Miss Bowman, the popular Southern writer, called Along the Bayou, and, to judge from the opening chapters, it will prove even superior to her former stories. A special interest attaches to the illustrated paper, The Princes of Modern Art, from the fact that it was the last article ever written by Charles J. Peterson, and is done in his happiest and most discriminating manner. The Black Trunk, by Mrs. Lucy H. Hooper, is one of the most original tales we have read in a long time, and the stories and poetry in general are far above the average of this or any other of the lady's magazines. Now is the time to subscribe or to get up clubs. Terms: two dollars per year, or one dollar for six months, with large reductions to clubs. The premiums offered for getting up clubs are very handsome. Specimen copies sent free to those desiring to get up clubs. Address PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching at 10.30 a. m., by Rev. George W. Cooke of West Dedham.

EPISCOPAL.—Preaching by Rev. Dr. Harris at 3 p. m. Seats free. Sunday School at 2 p. m.

BAPTIST.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; A short sermon at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening young people's meeting.

METHODIST.—Thomas Sunrise, the converted Indian, will give an account of his experience at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; General Prayer Service at 7 p. m. General Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 6.30, Class meeting on Friday evening, at 7.30.

It has probably escaped the notice of many employers that an act has become a law at the present session of the Legislature under which it is an offence subject to penalty to employ any person entitled to vote at a State or national election on the day on which such an election occurs in any manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment during the period of two hours after the opening of the polls, provided that such person shall make application for leave of absence during such time. The penalty is a fine of not less than $20 nor more than $50 for each offence.

"I don't believe in feeding tramps at the door," said Mrs. Crimsonbeak. "You feed them once and they are sure to come back." "Well, I don't know" replied Mrs. Yeast; "I always give them bread when they come to my door, and I can't say that I ever knew a tramp to come the second time." "Oh, well, Mrs. Yeast, you make your own bread, do you not?" This was all that was said, and yet Mrs. Yeast went down the street like a straw hat on a windy day.

From the number and size of the fish stories which are current it seems that the fish this season are biting with unusual voracity.

Heriditary gout is a most unjust disease. The father has had all the fun and the son catches most of the pain.

A woman may not be able to sharpen a pencil or throw a stone at a hen, but she can pack more articles into a trunk than a man can into a hay wagon.

A woman at Grand River, Mo., is reported to have given birth to five children in one day recently. The mother and children are doing well. The incredulous public were invited in to see them.

A novel ornamentation for the piazza is a high short wheelbarrow of plaited straw, filled with growing plants. It stands on the piazza with the effect of having been just wheeled there.

Visitors to the Carlyle's house in Great Cheyne row are surprised at its shabby appearance. Broken windows, decayed woodwork and the kitchen area filled with old boots are evidences of the landlord's neglect.

A Philadelphia widow at a fashionable resort has three chameleons as pets, which are kept in a gilded cage when they are not playfully running up and down their mistress's arms. A bell boy is hired to catch flies for them.

In Georgia, when a man is asked how far it is to the next plantation, and he answers that is "a peek and a right smart screech," he is supposed to mean that it is as far as you see from where you stand and then as much further as a strong voice can be heard.

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Boot-blacking performed in shops is an elegant business. A New York professional boot-black says: Now you see I employ a dozen boys, and they are always busy. To what do you attribute my success? Gentlemanly manners and a good shine. When it was found that courtesy was the rule in my place my business increased. I pay my shiners, who are worthy colored men and boys, $1 a day. Many, however, who make themselves agreeable to customers and do good work, often earn nearly double that sum. The work performed is pleasant.

IT WASN'T THAT KIND.

"Mertilda is you in lub with me?"
"G' way, Sam Johnsing, cose I isn't."
"Sho' 'Tilda, don't say that, for my heart burns"—
"Hold on Mister Johnsing, ef you has the heartburn, just you go and get a box er them

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they will cure yo heartburn immejiately at once, and ef you suffer from water-brash, Sam, they will cure that too."
"But, 'Tida, it ain't that kind."
"Never yo mind, Sam; it must be indigestion then what makes you look so glum, and the

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will cure Dyspepsia and Indigestion quicker and cleaner than you can rob a hen-roost, Mister Johnsing.—Good day.

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I have used Ayer's Sarsaparilla, in my family, for Scrofula, and know, if it is taken faithfully, that it will thoroughly eradicate this terrible disease. I have also prescribed it as a tonic, as well as an alterative, and must say that I honestly believe it to be the best blood medicine ever compounded.—W. F. Fowler, D. D. S., M. D., Greenville, Tenn.

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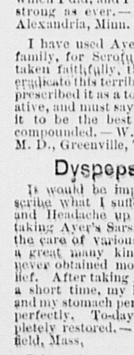

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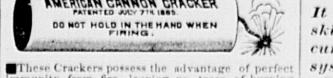

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A. W. BOUTWELL,
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Woburn, June 1, 1887.

All parties going away for the summer should leave their orders for moving trunks, the night before at C. R. Brown's, 156 Main street.

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WOBURN, MASS., June, 1887.

The NORTH WOBURN STREET RAILROAD CO. having applied for a location for a curved track, extending northeastwardly from the track in Common street to the track in Main street as at present laid. Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be given at this office on SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 1887, at 4.30 P. M., as required by Public Statutes.

By order of Board of Selectmen.
JOHN FERGUSON, Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, Creditors, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of James E. Rogers, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Winthrop Hammond of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of June instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

25-3 J. H. TYLER Register.

PURE

MILK.

I am engaged in sale and delivery of PURE MILK to the people of Woburn from my farm on Cambridge street, and respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

Orders left at Buckman & White's Grocery Store, 209 Main Street, will be promptly attended to.

P. G. HANSON,

Woburn, Jan. 18, 1886.

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Woman's Column.

BEN'S ROOM.

Girls who are wondering what they can do to keep their brothers at home evenings may find a hint in the following incident from the *Philadelphia Call:*

"What a hideous green you are putting in that tidy!" said Belle to her very best friend, as they sat talking over their fancy work.

"I know it," said Kate, good humoredly. "You see I bought it one night, and began to work on it by lamplight, and thought it looked pretty well. But some colors are so changeable; it looks frightful by daylight. I only know one thing I can do with it—I'll give it to Ben."

"Why—will he like it?"

"Oh, I don't know, I guess so. It'll help make him out for Christmas, and do well enough for his room. We stuff everything there." And Kate gave a little short laugh, then flushed suddenly as she saw Belle's blue eyes bent wonderingly upon her.

"Why," said the girl, and her fingers stopped in their busy motion, "I'd as soon think of putting anything ugly into Brother Frank's room; he is so choice of it."

"Oh, well, boys are different," stammered Kate in confusion.

And Belle, feeling that she was treading on forbidden ground, adroitly turned the conversation. Yes, she knew that Ben was different from her brother, and oh, how thankful she felt for that difference—thankful that Frank was strong and manly, kept above temptation—sorry for the great contrast in her friend.

"You must all do something to try to keep Ben at home these evenings," said his father one day. "I don't like the way he is spending his time."

And Kate, as she heard the words, wondered what she could do.

That afternoon there was a great overhauling of furniture up stairs, and by supper time quite a transformation had taken place in Ben's room. There were pretty engravings on the wall, hitherto bare; dainty white mats on the bureau, fresh muslin curtains draped back from the window, and everything as inviting as thoughtful hands could make it.

"Now," she said, "I wonder if he'll notice it."

"Have you a headache, Ben?" she asked, as she passed his door that evening, and saw him sitting with his head bowed upon his hands.

"Oh, no," he answered; "only thinking of going down town, but it looks so pleasant and homelike up here, I guess I'll stay."

And he did stay; it wasn't the last time, either. By and by he began to invite some of the fellows to come and see him at the house, and with great satisfaction would ask them to step up to his room. Was it strange that from these little gatherings more than one went away feeling that it was a grand thing to have a home, and be worthy of it?

HINTS ON THE USE OF ENGLISH.

Recognizing that careless habits of speech are among the prominent faults of young people, the professor of English literature at Wellesley College, Miss Louise M. Hodgkins, prepared for the *Christian Union* the following list of words, phrases and expressions to be avoided, from which old as well as young may receive many valuable hints:

Guess, for suppose or think.

Fix, for arrange or prepare.

Ride, and drive, interchangeably. (Americanism.)

Real as an adverb, in expessions real good, for really or very good, etc.

Some, or any, in an adverbial sense; e. g., "I have studied some," for somewhat. "I have not studied any," for at all.

Some ten days, for about ten days.

Not as I know, for not that I know.

Storms, for it rains or snows moderately.

Try an experiment, for make an experiment.

Singular subject with contracted plural verb; e. g., "She don't skate well."

Plural pronoun with singular antecedent: "Every man or woman should do their duty;" or, "if you look any one straight in the face, they will flinch."

Expect, for suspect.

First-rate, as an adverb.

Nice, indiscriminately. (Real nice may be doubly faulty.)

Had rather, for would rather.

Had better, for would better.

Right away, for immediately.

Party for person.

Promise for assure.

Posted, for informed.

Post-graduate, for graduate.

Depot, for station.

Stopping, for staying.

Try and do, for try to do.

Try and go, for try to go.

Cunning, for small, dainty.

Cute, for acute.

Funny, for odd or unusual.

Above, for foregoing, more than, or beyond.

Does it look good enough, for well enough.

Somebody else's, for somebody's else.

Like I do, for as I do.

Not as good as, for not so good as.

Feel badly, for feel bad.

Feel good, for feel well.

Between seven, for among seven.

Seldom or ever, for seldom if ever, or seldom or never.

Taste and smell of when used transitively.

More than you think for, for more than you think.

These kind, for this kind.

Nicely, in response to an inquiry for health.

Healthy, for wholesome.

Just as soon, for just as lief.

Kind of, to indicate a moderate degree

The matter of, for the matter with.

The meed of merit for promoting personal comeliness is due to J. C. Ayer & Co., whose Hair Vigor is a universal beautifier of the hair. Harmless, effective, and agreeable, it ranks among the indispensable toilet articles.

A new trade for women in Albany is that of "neighborhood darner." The woman who follows it has for her customers a dozen or twenty households, each of which she visits weekly, and spends a few hours in doing up the family darning and mending.

Most Excellent.

J. J. Atkins, Chief of Police, Knoxville, Tenn., writes; "My family and I are beneficiaries of your most excellent medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption; having found it to be all that you claim for it, desire to testify to its virtue. My friends to whom I have recommended it, praise it at every opportunity." Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup and every affection of Throat, Chest and Lungs. Trial bottles Free at W. W. Hill's Drug Store. Large Size 50c and $1.00

One of two men in Lake View, Oregon, who have been courting the same girl in Warner's Valley, forty miles away, recently procured a license and started for the prospective bride. The other did not learn of this till the next day, when he started on the same errand accompanied by a minister and a friend of his. Another minister soon started out in behalf of the first man, and the townspeople have sent an Indian after the party with a license for the friend accompanying the second man. No news has yet been heard from the seat of war, but bets are made on the first lover.

Cream and Cold Weather.

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"Suppose" said the railroad Superintendent who was examining an applicant for a place as engineer, "that you were out on the road and discovered that you were carrying fifty pounds more steam than you should, what would you do?" "I'd have the fireman hang on to the safety valve till we got to town and then let off through the whistle." "That's right—I guess you understand your business."

An experienced sportsman says that the hardest things to shoot are bats. They are quick, make sharp turns in all directions and are difficult to kill. Shot holes through their wings will not bring them down, and a story is told of one bat which flew away with twenty holes in its wings.

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An English traveler returning from Spain describes the Queen as a woman full of force held in reserve, with intellectual features and large and expressive eyes. The whiteness of her skin, set off by golden hair, gives the idea of a delicate constitution to the dark-skinned Spaniards.

A Remarkable Good Man

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A Pennsylvania dog has been left the legacy of $1500, the interest of which is to be used for his support. After his death the fund is to go to a church, but as the provisions of the will in respect to the dog are being faithfully carried out, the church will probably not be benefited for some time.

From A. H. S. Davis, formerly editor of *Chronicle*, Farmington, Me.

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Gopher tails are currency for the face value of the county bounty—3 cents each—Barnes county, Dakota. Newspapers take them on subscription, merchants for goods, and they occasionally find their way into the contribution basket at church.

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A few years ago Wilton was one of the most flourishing villages in Minnesota. A railroad built through that section left the village at one side, and now the place is dead. The old town site has been converted into farming land.

What! You don't mean to tell me. Keeping house? I didn't think he had money enough for that. What's that? Oh! yes, yes. Instalments, I suppose. Where did you say? Atkinson & Co's. Oh yes; they are at 827 Washington street, Boston. I'm going to look at their stock myself.

Brooklyn has achieved a place among the cities of sweets. Eight hundred thousand dollars is annually expended in that city by candy eaters, and $160,000 of this sum is for caramels, which if placed in a line would reach from Brooklyn to Boston.

For chronic catarrh, induced by a scrofulous taint, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the true remedy. It stops catarrhal discharges, removes the sickening odor, and never fails to thoroughly eradicate every trace of the disease from the blood. Sold by all dealers in medicine.

First Kansas woman—I didn't see you down at the caucus last night. Second Kansas woman—No, I couldn't get away. John wasn't feeling well, and I had to clear off the table and wash the dishes.

A youth at Pittsburg imitates a steam whistle so perfectly that the hands in one of the factories quit work at 11.30 o'clock the other day when they heard him practicing. They thought it was noon.

Very rich gold mines have been discovered in a hitherto unexplored district of Siberia. The region is declared to rival California in the greatest days of its gold diggings.

HOW NOVEL WRITING PAYS.

Securing a Publisher is One Thing, Securing Sales is Quite Another.

Getting books published is one thing; getting them sold is quite another. Little as Trollope made by his first literary ventures, he probably made more than his publishers. They were not a success because the public refused to buy them, and if Trollope had not been a man of dogged resolution he would have given in long before the tide turned. It by no means follows, however, that every one who perseveres with equal resolution will be equally successful, or, indeed, achieve any success at all; for though by practice a man may acquire the knack of writing readable English, no amount of perseverance, without imagination, will make a novelist.

It is true that some writers appear to succeed at the first attempt. Like Byron, they waken and find themselves famous. These instances are, however, very few, and when careful inquisition is made it will generally be found that there was previous preparation, and that success was preceded by failure. Charlotte Bronte sprung at a bound into the first rank of living novelists; but her great natural gifts had been assiduously cultivated for years. From her very childhood she had been studying the art of fiction and writing works of imagination. The late Hugh Conway is another instance of the same sort, though his genius was of a far inferior order. His "Called Back" took the country by storm and created a rage for shilling horrors; which is only now beginning to subside. Yet, though "Called Back" was the first work he published, it was not by a long way the first he wrote. He must have had quite a large stock on hand; two, I think, have been published since his death; and I know a publisher who refused one of Hugh Conway's stories years before the public heard of his existence.

It would thus appear that to profit by authorship, in the ordinary sense of the word, something more is required than a mere shutting of the eyes and an opening of the mouth. There must be special aptitude, patience, perseverance and industry. These, with a love of literature for its own sake, will probably be sufficient in ordinary circumstances to insure a fair measure of success. Brilliant success and enduring fame are for genius alone, and the man who hopes to make a fortune by his pen must be sanguine indeed. True, Scott did great things in that way. Dickens accumulated $500,000 (and killed himself in the effort) and Trollope sold for $15,000 apiece novels that he wrote in two months.

But it is not every novelist that possesses the genius of Dickens or the fertility of Trollope, and there is at present probably not one English writer who can command the prices that he readily obtained. More novels are now written than ever, and the average price paid to authors has suffered a woful diminution. I have been told that when The London Graphic began its prosperous career, its proprietors paid as much as $7,500 for the serial rights of its long stories. They now seldom pay more than a third of that sum.—The Cosmopolitan.

Twice Three Score and Ten.

A writer in The Journal of Man, published in Boston, holds that "the attainable limits of human longevity are generally underrated by the medical profession and by popular opinion. Instead of the Scriptural limit of three score and ten," he says, "I would estimate twice that amount, or 140 years, as the ideal age of healthy longevity, when mankind shall have been bred and trained with the same wise energy that has been expended on horses and cattle. Of the present scrub race, a very large number ought never to have been born, and ought not to be allowed to transmit their physical and moral deficiences to posterity." This estimate, he insists, is sustained by the number of persons of the age of 140 found in Italy under a census by one of the Roman emperors. It is aided, moreover, by the number of persons in this country who have passed the century limit.—Detroit Free Press.

The Professional Eater.

These eating contests, quail or anything else, are not so common as they used to be. They used to be popular down south, where big niggers were hired to eat against each other. A professional eater (I don't believe there are any now) will train on certain foods and go right through his job on time at an average rate, and not be sick when he is done. When it comes to drinking, that is a different thing, all depending on the make up of the man. One man could drink a quart of whisky at a swallow, while another would drop dead. A man can accustom himself to do feats of eating, but he must naturally have a capacity for drinking.—Jack Farrelly in Globe Democrat.

What Makes Paper Turn Yellow.

A recent writer has shown that the yellowing of paper is due to the oxidation of paper by light, and especially the more refrangible rays. The discoloration is more marked in wood papers than in rag papers, and more rapid in moist than in dry air. Two practical results of this study are, first, to keep libraries as dry as possible, and secondly, that the electric light is far inferior to gas or oil, as the refrangible rays for so large a proportion of its light.

The Chances in Tossing.

Professor Proctor, in his new book on "Chance and Luck," undertakes to tell the chances of getting heads or tails in tossing a penny. If you toss an hour, "heads" will not exceed "tails," or "tails" "heads" in a greater ratio than 21 to 30. If you toss for a day the inequality will not be greater than 101 to 100.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

A Cautious Woman.

"Is this your fourth or your fifth marriage?" she asked, in a loud voice, of an old woman on the car.

"Hush! Don't speak so loud! This is my fifth, but he's in poor health and I may want to marry again!"—Detroit Free Press.

A new pocket camera has been invented. It is inclosed in an ordinary silver watch case, and is said to do very good work by the dry plate process.

Anticipation vhas a big dinner which we eat up und shtill feel hungry all oafer.—Carl Dunder.

J. C. Davis' Old Soap is the cheapest and best bar soap on the American market.

The Emperor William of Germany has recently purchased ten houses in a new street in Berlin, which is to be named in his honor. He will let the houses. With ten tenants of a certain class his speedy dissolution may be expected.

The Knights of Labor are building a "Labor Temple" at Minneapolis, in which the National Assembly will hold its meetings. The first and second floors will be devoted to business purposes, the third will contain several small halls and ante-rooms, library and reading room, and on the fourth there will be an auditorium seating at least 2000 people. Already about two-thirds of the building have been enaged at a rental of $7000.

The Sultan's "Bagdad Kiosk."

The most beautiful object in the seraglio is not anything in the treasury, but the lovely little "Bagdad Kiosk," built, says tradition, by Murad IV in imitation of one he saw when he conquered Bagdad. I doubt very much if any such building ever existed at Bagdad. The tiles are not at all Persian in style, but are of the blue kind so common in Cairo, and resemble especially those of the mosque of Abrahim Agha (1652), which may possibly have been shipped to Egypt from Constantinople. The kiosk, with its tile lining and inlaid doors and painted ceilings, is a dainty little edifice, more like a Cairo than a Stambouli building; but the view from its veranda is more beautiful still.

"Earth hath not anything to show more fair" than this exquisite view over the Bosphorus. The cypresses and crumbling masses of irregular old buildings of the Seraglio conceal the shipping and the bridge and less picturesque portions of the city; at our feet are the neglected shrubs and lawn of the quiet, peaceful palace garden, and over the battlemented wall we can see the mouth of the Golden Horn, and look past it up the winding Bosphorus, past Scutari on the one side and Ortakeui on the other, till we almost see the Sweet Waters of Asia. Clothed with verdure, fringed with white palaces and ruined wooden mansions of the past, the Bosphorus is a real earthly paradise, and the sultans never made a greater mistake than when they left the lovely seclusion of the old seraglio, with its glorious view, and went to live on the top of the hill of Yildiz.—Constantinople Cor. London Times.

Testing Drinking Water.

Dr. Riabinin of Tchuguey recommends testing drinking water by adding eight to fifteen drops of solution of nitrate of silver (one grain of the salt to half ounce of distilled or boiled water) to a glassful of water under examination. Nitrate of silver decomposes chlorides and gives a white precipitate of chloride of silver and at the same time precipitates all proteids dissolved in water. If the precipitate be trifling, proportionate to the silver solution added, its surface smooth, color purely and equally white and falls to the bottom of the vessel rapidly, the water is good. If the precipitate is considerable the water contains organic matter; the more considerable the precipitate (in proportion to the solution of silver added) the worse the water. If the surface shows threadlike or flecky processes and is gray in color, the water is bad. A blue discoloration in the water (caused by the chloride of silver combining with ammonia) points to the presence of decomposing vegetable matter; the more blue the worse is the latter. A black precipitate shows decomposing products of animal matter. Sun rays or even strong daylight should be avoided during examination. A violet discoloration, without any preceding blue, takes place in any water; the earlier this violet discoloration takes place the better the water examined.—Engineering News.

Boycotting Hindoo Women.

Boycotting and outcasting are made doubly oppressive to Hindoo women, and for the most trifling reasons. A married woman not putting the sindoor (a red powder) on the parting of her hair is boycotted. In the country, if a mother-in-law eats or lives in the house of her son-in-law before her daughter has a child she will be at once boycotted. A young married lady was boycotted for not observing some ceremony at the birth of her child. A man can regain his caste by performing the expiatory rites, but an outcast woman, especially if she has broken away from the zenana or associated with non-Hindoos, is never taken back to her caste.—St. James' Gazette.

Forgetfulness of Pierce and Harrison.

Franklin Pierce and William Henry Harrison had miserable memories. It is said that on one occasion a member of the former's cabinet presented his daughter to him. A moment after an attache of the English diplomatic corps requested an introduction to the lady. Pierce turned, looked at her, offered his hand and stammered an apology while he asked her name. She was completely confused, and the officer, who had seen the first introduction, was at a loss for words. The situation was exceedingly unpleasant. At a reception at the White House Harrison was the center of a coterie of beautiful women and courtly men, exchanging the civilities of the hour, and in high feather with himself and the world. A tall gentleman, with side whiskers, with aquiline features, clad in the mode of the miniature court which surrounds a president, approached him, extending his hand. The group parted before the visitor, who, with a calm dignity, advanced. "General, I greet and congratulate you," the stranger said. "I do not know you, sir," replied Harrison. "I was your chief of staff, sir, during the Indian wars," responded the intruder as he majestically confronted his whilom chieftain. In a moment the president recognized his old comrade in arms. Though apologies for his forgetfulness were profuse, yet, it is said, his aid never forgot the slight.—Chicago Herald.

Prevalence of Hernia.

Dr. Baxter's tables show that out of 334,321 recruits and substitutes examined by the recruiting officers during the war of the rebellion, more than 17,000 were rejected on account of hernia. The London Truss society, during the first twenty-eight years of its existence, issued over 83,000 trusses. Two factories in Philadelphia manufacture and sell from 216,000 to 250,000 per annum.—Chicago Medical Journal.

Religious Liberty in China.

The Chinese are not a people who persecute for opinion. Persons professing four different forms of faith or sets of doctrines have lived side by side, and the teachers of each have worked in peace for centuries. No man's promotion in the public service is increased or retarded because he is of this or that form of religion.—The Churchman.

The value of a human life, estimated from life assurance and wage statistics, is $14,660. The value, however, is not realized without work and growth.

In old times parents brought children up, but now children bring parents down.—Boston Courier.

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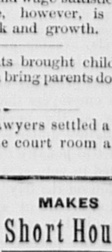

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"The Beatrice" is a name suggested in New York for a projected apartment house for working women.

The Manitoba Legislature has passed a bill giving to all females who are property owners the right to vote at municipal elections.

A bee expert in Southern California says it is a bad season for honey in that section. There is no showing for a crop in any part of Southern California.

Patient (dissatisfied with dietary restrictions)—Say, Doc, I'm blamed if I'm going to starve to death, just for the sake of living a little longer.

Vassar College repudiates the report that the students voted to adopt the reform costume of Mrs. Jenness Miller. No proposal of the sort was made.

A fashionable New York lady would not sit down to table at a dinner party until a stuffed owl perched on a cabinet opposite her place had been removed.

The Cobden Club, it is rumored, propose to have a newspaper organ in every large American city. They will purchase an established newspaper if possible.

A North Carolina clergyman not only refused to marry an eloping pair, but arrested the girl and telegraphed her father that he held her subject to his orders.

A clock, manufactured especially for Egypt and other countries where laziness is encouraged, strikes the hour twice in succession. The first striking simply acts as a warning for attention.

What the Texas Democrats fear most is that the Prohibition campaign may be only a cover for the secession of the protective element in the party and its union with the Republicans.

Saturday is known as "Beggars' Day" in Mexico. Licensed mendicants swarm in incredible numbers, fill the streets and make a tour of the shops and markets, levying demands in the utmost confidence.

Albany has about the cheapest restaurant on record. A half dime lunch has been opened on Broadway, at which all sorts of dishes from clam chowder up to a broiled steak, with bread and butter, are served at 5 cents each.

A man was so delighted with some sponge cake that he ate at a hotel in Bellefonte, Pa., that he went to a drug store and purchased a lot of sponges, taking them to his home at Lock Haven for his wife to make sponge cake of.

The State Convention of the Union Labor party of Ohio has been called to meet at Columbus, July 4. All labor, temperance and soldier organizations and farmers' granges are invited to send delegates.

The Louisville *Courier-Journal* declares that "the time is close at hand when we shall know who is who and what is what, who are for us and who are against us, and whether we have a party or merely a bundle of quiddities."

The Government of Victoria, Australia, is spending $125,000 a year in destroying rabbits on crown lands, while private landowners are spending immense sums for the protection of their own premises. In January last the Government of New South Wales had an army of 2145 men in the field fighting rabbits.

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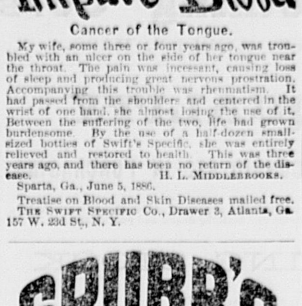

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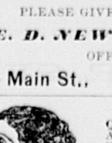

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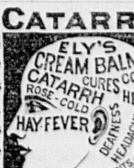

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FOR LAWRENCE at 8.22, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 1.34, 4.21, 5.10, 5.57, 6.41, 7.55, 11.33 P. M. **Sunday,** 9.28, A. M., 5.28, P. M. **RETURN,** 6.40, 7.45, 9.30, 11.00, A. M., 12.05, 1.30, 4.05, 6.03, 9.20, P. M. **Sundays,** 8.55 A. M., 4.25 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.26, 9.23, 11.24 A. M., 2.2', 3.21, 5.10, 6.41, 9.25, 11.33 P. M. **Sunday,** 9.28 A. M., 5.28, P. M. **RETURN,** 6.35, 7.17, 7.35, 9.15, 11.00, A. M., 6.00, 6.30, P. M. **Sunday,** 9.00, A. M., 4.30 P. M.

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For Amherst, Milford and Wilton N. H., 7.26 A. M., 3.21, P. M.

For WARNER, BRADFORD, SUNAPEE, NEWPORT, N. H., and CLAREMONT at 11.24 A. M.

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A. O. U. W. Mishawum Lodge, No. 61. 2d and 4th Wednesday. G. A. R. Hall, 194 Main street.
M. C. O. F. Quealey Court, No. 32. 1st and 3d Monday. Hibernian Hall, 205 Main street.
A. O. H. Division 3, Thursday, Hibernian Hall, 205 Main street. Division 18, Montvale, Friday, A. O. H. Hall, Montvale Avenue.
Celtic Society. Salmon's Building. Main street.
S. of T. Perseverance Division, No. 6. Tuesday. Fraternity Hall, 121 Main street.
Order of Templars. Scandinavian Temple Thor, No. 37. 2d and 4th Friday. Fraternity Hall, 121 Main street.
O. T. Scandinavian Temple Freja, No. 64. Saturday. Fraternity Hall, 121 Main street.
St. Charles C. T. A. Society. Lyceum Building, Main street.
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Rumford Historical Association. Count Rumford's Birthplace, North Woburn. Meetings annually.
Mishawum Club. 194 Main street.
Bellevue Club. 211 Main street.
Board of Trade. Tuesday. 173 Main street.
Woburn Woman's Club. 1st and 3d Friday afternoons at church vestries.
C. L. S. C. Woburn Circle. Tuesday evenings, fortnightly.
Woburn Fireman's Relief Association. Annual Meeting in May.
Woburn Bicycle Club. 1st Monday. Kelley's Block, 211 Main street.
Y. M. C. A. Rooms 127 Main street.
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THE HAND OF DESTINY.

BY H. M. J.

The little brook rushed headlong over its stony bed, the tall trees, with their garlands of moss and wild grape vines, bent lovingly over the noisy waters, while the audicious zepher saucily brushed the face of the girl who lay upon the sloping green bank. She was so still that a daring bird came curiously near, and an adventuresome squirrel crept up slowly, his bright eyes glancing from side to side, seeming to regard with wonder the figure clad in the plain white gown.

Suddenly two little feet protruded from the full skirt, and with a decided jump, and a shake of the dark curly locks, Hazel Thair rose, and swinging her broad garden hat by its string started through the woods, when a shrill whistle sounded. With a mischievous smile, the girl hastily threw her hat on the grass, and seizing a low-hanging grape vine, swung herself by it on to a long branch, where she seated herself, quite hidden by the clinging moss and thick leaves.

In a moment a boy with a crop of yellow hair, honest blue eyes and a smiling mouth, and wearing a straw hat carelessly on the back of his head, came into sight, looking on either side as he whistled.

"Hazel! Hazel!" he called, adding in an undertone. "Where is the girl? Gone off to walk, I believe, when I'm—Hullo!" as a smothered laugh betrayed her. "Now say, Hazel, that's too bad; joking when you're going away so soon. Come down, and let's have one jolly talk."

"I was just thinking how lonely I should be, and how I should miss you, and these lovely woods, and the brook, and—everything," answered the little girl, as she came swinging down on the lithe vine, dropping on the grass beside her companion. "Northern girls will be shocked at my romps, and no one will be as good a companion as my old Bob, bless you, she continued, embracing the boy with the untrammelled freedom of childhood, for though nearly fifteen she had never been taught conventionalities or had her impulses restrained.

A slight color filled Rob Stevens's brown cheeks, and he unclasped the arms thrown round his neck, and raised the curly head on his shoulder, and seriously: "Hazel, dear, that is—well, I wanted to say something to you, about that very thing. We've been friends a long time, haven't we?"

"Of course," and Hazel looked at him wonderingly.

"And, well, bother it! say, you won't forget me, will you, Hazel, and you know what you promised me down by the old magnolia?"

"I remember," she answered, "I said I'd never care for any one as much as for you, and I'd wait until you were old enough, and then we'd—"

"All right, never mind saying it, if you'll remember, and keep your promise; and say, Hazel, you know, girls don't usually hug the fellows, so be careful. P'raps you'd better not any more."

The dark eyes opened wide, and the sensitive mouth quivered. "No, Bob, I won't, only I thought as long as it was only you, it was no harm. I'll try and remember."

They sat there by the cool stream until a clear bell warned them that the evening meal was being prepared in the big house, which could just be seen through the trees, and away they scampered, hand in hand, up the long green slope.

Judge Thair was a wealthy planter, but also an educated gentleman, and he realized the importance of sending his motherless daughter away to better schools than those in the sunny South. The poor man tried to perform all the duties of mother and father, but he was sadly deficient sometimes, and felt himself so lately as he saw his "baby" growing into a tall girl. He noticed her increasing familiarity with Rob Stevens, the son of his nearest neighbor, and, indeed, the only white child for some miles around, and not daring to put new ideas into her mind, deemed it advisable to place her in more experienced hands. So early the following Monday a Northern aunt took Hazel to her own home, and three weeks from the day on which she bade Rob an affectionate farewell saw her fairly established in a fashionable school.

For a awhile, to Hazel's wondering eyes, everything seemed like a fairy tale, and being very susceptible, she conceived violent attachments on all sides; but her busy brain soon went to work, and she began to distinguish between the false and true, and got over her first trial with the shallowness of human nature with only a slight heart-ache.

Rob wrote every week, telling her of the things that interested her at home, and at first she answered in her old affectionate way, until the girls teased her about her devoted admirer. Then Rob noticed that her letters sounded forced, though still friendly, and missing the sisterly confidences, he wondered, then longed to see her, and finally went North and in due time presented his card at the door of the boarding school. As he stood in the long reception room waiting for his old playmate to come, and wondering if she would throw her arms about his neck and kiss him as she used, he saw a tall, graceful figure, in a long gown of clinging white stuff, with dusky hair gathered in a loose knot on the top of her head, and dark, starry eyes, standing at the door: he heard a rustle of sweeping skirts, then a sweet voice, and Hazel cordially shook hands, assured him how glad she was to see him and offered a chair, with a pretty motion of one white hand. Self-possessed and gracious, she made poor Rob feel ill at ease, and like such a little boy, as he fingered the blue felt hat he bought to please her, and answered her questions in monosyllables.

But when he rose to go he made a desperate effort, and begged her to say "Good-by" in the old way. She flushed, in such a dainty way he thought then said hurriedly:

"I hoped you'd never allude to that folly again. You were the first to tell me that it wasn't quite good form, and since that I have been grateful to you for not taking advantage of a child's impulsiveness. I think I have, to a great extent, outgrown the old impetuosity, and I fancy I shall never again be guilty of being the centre of such a tableau as that at the depot when I left C——," and she laughed at the remembrance of the scene which Rob had cherished tenderly.

So they said "good afternoon," calmly and quietly, and when Rob reached his hotel he packed his grip-sack, and left the city with a sinking heart, resolved to put the face of the fair girl behind him, to work hard and forget the pang caused by her indifference. And as for Hazel, she went to her room with a bright face, but suddenly catching sight of the little bracelet Rob had given her, so long ago, and the worn pile of letters tied with a faded blue ribbon, she threw herself down on the bed and cried penitent tears, at the thought of the honest lad whom she had hurt so cruelly.

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The papers were eagerly sought; all over the school were anxious faces, and more than one group was gathered in various corners, talking over the latest bulletins. Fort Sumter had been attacked! The war had begun!

Telegrams were constantly being delivered, for fathers and brothers had enlisted, and daughters and sisters must bravely bid them "farewell and God speed."

Hazel had been the first to go, for popular sentiment turned against her as a rebel, and she gladly went to help her father, who was mustering forces and drilling recruits. Camp life suited him; in the field he seemed in his element, and the prudent farmer became a brilliant officer. Always foremost in the fight, he won respect even from his enemies, who, while they admired his fearlessness and energy, congratulated themselves that there were few Confederate generals like him.

It was in one of the fiercest struggles of the Civil War that he fell, fighting bravely, killed by one well-aimed charge. When his body was brought home, Hazel received the sorrowing soldiers without a tear, and when some one roughly accused her of heartlessness, she answered, with the spirit of a true soldier's daughter:

"If papa had died ignobly I should weep for the disgrace, but they tell me he fell fighting, honored even by those who struck him down. I shall mourn for my father, but he would have me give up my soldier as bravely as he gave his life."

The weary months crept on. Waiting safely, far from the struggle, with her aunt in the North, was out of question, and Hazel begged so hard to be allowed to follow her own inclinations, that permission was granted, and she joined the little band of helpful women who were going to nurse the poor fellows dying for want of proper care.

In the hospital the dark-eyes, pale-faced nurse soon became popular, for she was as strong as she was tender, always willing to undergo all hardships for the sake of the suffering soldiers.

She often found friends of her father among the wounded, and her eyes grew bright as she listened to the stories his admirers told, of his manly courage and tender sympathy.

One day she was looking over the list of "Killed or wounded" in the morning's paper, and saw the name of Major Robert D. Stevens among the others.

As she read there came a flood of old-time recollections, memories half forgotten, and then a vague wonder stole into her heart. Did her old playmate remember her with the old tender longing?

She thought of his call at the school. She had dressed herself with care to receive him, but she had seemed cold and distant, and he had gone away.

She had only heard rumors of him since. He had begun the study of medicine, and had gone into the office of a celebrated old doctor in a Northern State, and during the war had gained honors in the Federal army, and new she doubted not that he had forgotten her, as she had tried to put him out of her mind. Her heart ached with an unaccustomed pain, and as she went about her daily duties, her parents missed her attentive sympathy, for though she performed all her tasks, she was preoccupied, busy with her own thoughts.

Towards noon the doctor called her, and said: "I have a new patient for you. He will need constant care, for he is in a fever, and it will take good nursing to bring him round." And leading the way to his own private office he added, "I've got him in here, for the present. He was a pupil of mine, and I feel a great interest in him."

The man turned restlessly on his rough couch; his haggard face was turned to the wall, the blue eyes glanced vacantly about the room, and the tawny hair was pushed back from the hot forehead; one arm lay useless, and as he moved a little a low moan escaped his tightly closed lips. "It is Major Stevens," said the doctor. "He's in a bad way, isn't he? Good fellow! We'll bring him round, if possible." Tears came to Hazel's eyes as she answered fervently, "Please God, we will!"

Through the days of hopeless waiting and the nights of suspense, Hazel was constant and faithful, always ready with a cheerful word or smile in the rare intervals of consciousness, working or watching when death seemed near, and hoping for, yet dreading, the time when Rob should recognize her. Admiring his brave endurance of the pain that is harder to bear than danger in the midst of excitement, and reviewing her girlish regard for her boy friend, she had come to love the honored major, with tender affection, that grew daily, and occasionally frightened her with its depth.

At length the old doctor joyfully gave a glimmer of hope; then again came the dull despair, and a long fierce struggle between death and life.

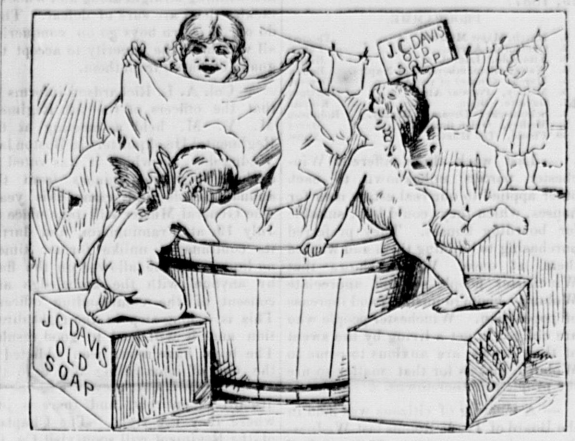
As the first gray light of dawn showed in the sky, Dr. Holmes turned to the pale girl and said: "He is sleeping We can tell nothing till he wakes; so go and rest, for if he begins to improve you'll have your hands full, and, any way, you musn't get ill." With a faint remonstrance Hazel obeyed, and lay down on a couch near the door, there not to sleep, to listen intently for every sound.

All was still, save for the quiet, regular breathing that made her heart rejoice, and the ticking of the tall clock. When a straggling beam of sunlight fell through the window, she stole quietly into the room, where she stood by the bedside anxiously regarding the worn yet peaceful face of the sleeper.

Suddenly his eyes flew open, and looking wonderingly at the two sober faces before him, he held out his hand to Hazel, saying helplessly, "You have come to say 'good-by." Don't be cold, Hazel; let me leave the world with a pleasant remembrance." The pleading tone and look were too much, and she leaned down and kissed the pale face, saying heartily, "It is not 'good-by,' but a welcome back to life and happiness."

The astonished doctor, beginning to comprehend the situation, went softly away, cautiously wiping his eyes as he thought of his own youth.

Asking no questions, the weak man held Hazel's hand, and listened, with eager eyes, as she told him of her longing for him, and her fears that she had forfeited his love. Finally she said gayly, "I seem to do all the wooing, but you'll forgive me, dear heart," and as he drew her down to look the passion that he could not speak, the sun burst from the clouds, and cast an effulgence of light through the room, shedding his blessing on the heads of the happy lovers.—*Boston Budget.*



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If any one says ill of you, let your life be so that none will believe him.

He who strives after a long and pleasant form of life must seek to attain continued equanimity.

"We never see a tear in the eye," says a celebrated writer, "but we are reminded of a warm heart."

Whatever else we neglect, let us keep up the habit of communion with God. Prayer is the key of the position.

If a man empties his purse into his head, no man can take it away from him. An investment in knowledge always pays the best interest.

Let every man take care how he speaks and writes of honest people, and not set down at a venture the first thing that comes uppermost.

The man who is suspicious lives in a constant state of unhappiness. It would be better for his peace of mind to be too trustful than to be too guarded.

If thy friends be of better quality than thyself, thou mayest be sure of two things: the first that they will be more careful to keep thy counsel, because they have much more to lose than thou hast; the second, they will esteem thee for thyself, and not for that thou dost possess.

Renews Her Youth.

Mrs. Phœbe Chesley, Peterson, Clay Co., Iowa, tells the following remarkable story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of the town: "I am 73 years old, have been troubled with kidney complaint and lameness for many years; could not dress myself without help. Now I am free from all pain and soreness, and am able to do all my own housework. I owe my thanks to Electric Bitters for having renewed my youth, and removed completely all disease and pain."

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"I saw Charley last night," said a sweet young bustle-bearer. "Did you?" exclaimed a second ditto, with a force and expression which might have been criticised as slightly overdone had she heard that the world had just come to an end. "Did you? And you had a real pleasant chat with him, eh?" "I should have had," said bustle bearer number one; "but unfortunately there was no one near enough to hear us converse. It's just like wearing a new bonnet on a desert island to talk with one who can converse on any subject, and have it all thrown away on dull walls."

A Very Narrow Escape,

"Yes, I had a very narrow escape." said a prominent citizen to a friend. "I was confined to my bed for a year and my friends gave me up for a consumptive's grave, until I began using Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, and here I am, sound and hearty." You will find it for sale by Chas. H. Buss, Druggist. Price 50c. and $1 trial size free.

Dr. Arthur Stradling writes to the London *Lancet* of May 28 that he has apparently discovered a simple remedy for arresting cancerous growth. It is dried carbonate of lime, to which is added 2 1-2 per cent. of the phosphate, to imitate the product of oyster shells as much as possible. Of this the patient takes as much as can be heaped up on a sixpence (about the size of a ten cent piece) three times a day, in a dessert spoonful of milk. After nineteen months, in the case of his patient, the growth of the tumor was undoubtedly arrested.

"How charmingly you sing, Miss Guseberry." "Do you think so?" "Oh, yes indeed, I never listen to you without wishing you were where my cousin out in Colorado could hear you."

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CARE OF ANIMALS IN SUMMER.

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The active dog requires drink frequently, as does also the cat; and a dish of fresh water should stand where they can have access to it. Undoubtedly many a dog is driven to madness through lack of water; and the testimony is that hydrophobia is unknown in those localities where dogs can drink when they wish.

Every city, village and country town should be liberally suppled with drinking fountains for animals, and they should be so constructed that even the smallest dogs can drink from them. No gift to a people confers a greater pleasure than a fountain, and that person who turns aside a stream from the field and gives a watering trough to the roadside, or provides a fountain at which man and beast can drink pure water, is truly a public benefactor.

Give the horse frequent opportunity to quench thirst at times when not too much overheat, and before eating. To drink freely immediately after eating prevents a favorable digestion of food.

Provide shade. How instinctively we seek the shadow when the sun is pouring its hot rays on the dry and parching earth. If the pasture is not provided with shade trees in a convenient locality set four, six or eight supports, across which place straw or grass, and thus, in a brief time and with little labor, make a shade in which animals can rest from the heat of the sun, to the great comfort to themselves and benefit to their owners.

Remove the harness from the horses in the hot day whenever you desire to give them a full, free rest, and once during the day, preferably at night, a thorough currying and grooming will not only give rest, but will do about as much toward improving the animal's condition as will the oats.

Examine the harness on your working team, and you will discover that blinds, check-reins and cruppers are simply torturing contrivances, serving no useful purpose. Take them all for the convenience of yourself and the comfort of the horses. Keep the stable well ventilated and free from the strong ammonia, which is injurious to the eyes. Assist the animals to protect themselves against flies, feed regularly, hitch in the shade, and remember that the care which will give comfort to the lower animals will make them doubly profitable to their owners, aside from the humane bearing upon the subject.

LOST HIS GRAPES.

Frederick II. of Prussia, was one day walking along the terrace at Sans Souci and noticed that his beautiful large grapes were suffering severely under the appetites of the sparrows. Enraged at the impudent thieves, he offered a price for their heads, and in a few weeks there was not a single sparrow in the royal gardens. In the following year, however, not a single grape ripened, and the Prussian monarch found that as soon as the sparrows disappeared the grubs, caterpillars and snails began to commit their depredations unmolested, and the king found out, that although the sparrows were great thieves, their useful qualities far more than counterbalanced their bad ones. He repealed his former edict, and since that time sparrows and grapes have prospered abundantly at Sans Souci.

A Generous Firm.

We are informed that the proprietors, Messrs. A. P. Ordway & Co., recently sent three dozen of their reliable medicine, Sulphur Bitters, to the Catholic Home for the Aged, which is highly appreciated by the the directors and inmates. "As ye sow, so shall ye reap."—*Editor Catholic Union.*

The coat was a very bad fit—too full in the back. "That'll never do," said the customer. "Its like a shirt on a bean pole." "Dot coat, mein frient," replied the dealer, "ish a very stylish garment. Look at dot back! Mein gracious, it is lufly. See dot beautiful puffing—der latest style—and don't you forgot it. It was made on Fifth Avenue. It is der Father Hubbard style and is actually worth as much as fife tollar more for that cut," and five minutes later the delighted customer left the store with his Father Hubbard coat.

This is decidedly an "off year" in politics so far as elections are concerned. Massachusetts, Iowa, Kentucky, Maryland and Ohio will elect Governors Nov. 8, except in Kentucky, where the election occurs Aug. 1. All the State officers except Governor and Lieutenant Governor will be elected in New York and several minor State officers in Pennsylvania.

Drink Water.

Here is a story from an English paper which carries its own moral:

There is a certain large boarding school for boys in England where we have seen sixty or seventy of them at their desks; and fine, merry, strong, clever lads they were. No intoxicating drinks whatever are placed on the table, and yet several brewers and wine merchants send their sons there for education. This proves that dealers in strong drink do not regard it as essential to their intellectual activity and physical health. One of these young gentlemen had a white swelling on his knee, and was sent home for medical treatment. When the family doctor arrived, and examined the limb, he evidently thought it a serious case, and said, "What sort of school are you at?"

"Oh, a jolly school."

"What kind of a master have you?"

"Oh, a jolly master."

"But what sort of a table does he keep?"

"Oh, a jolly table."

"Yes, yes; but what does he give you to drink?"

"Oh, the governor's a teetotaler; he puts nothing but water on the table."

"Then," said the doctor to the patient's anxious mother, "we can save his limb. Do not fear; he will soon get better."

And he did so, and went back to his desk, his games and his "jolly table"—not less jolly to him now that he knew water-drinking had been so good for him.

The comedian, W. J. Florence, preached a strong temperance sermon in a letter which he wrote to his friend Oliver Lucas, the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen at Louisville. Mr. Florence wrote:

My Dear Oll: One gallon of whiskey costs about $3, and contains about 65 fifteen-cent drinks. Now if you must drink, buy a gallon and make your wife the barkeeper. When you are dry give her 15 cents for a drink, and when the whiskey is gone she will have, after paying for it, $6 75 left, and every gallon thereafter will yield the same profit. This money she should put away so that when you have become an inebriate, unable to support yourself and shunned by every respectable man, your wife may have money enough to keep you until your time comes to fill a drunkard's grave.

W. J. FLORENCE.

"Mr. Hoskins, I'm glad you've staid to dinner with us today." "Thank you, Johnny, why are you glad?" "I heard mamma tell the cook two hours ago that there wasn't any signs of your going and she might as well open a jar of preserves. If you hadn't staid, we wouldn't have any preserves, I expect—why, mamma, what are you punching me that way for with your knee?"

Fashionable society at Pittsburg is much disturbed. The dressmakers and milliners of that city have announced that, tired of dunning their customers for the amount of unpaid bills, they will combine to make a complete list of the delinquents, after the manner of the Merchant Tailors' Union.

Most's Anarchists held a meeting last Sunday in the suburbs of Jersey City. It began with barrels of beer and ended in noisy defiance of the law and assaults and pistol shots. Beer by the barrel was necessary to inspire the real sentiment of anarchy. Without beer, the Anarchists would cease to attract attention or even to preach misrule and bloodshed.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ General Butler, in a speech which he made at the Butler banquet in Boston last week, hit the nail on the head about square in regard to Cleveland's ordering the rebel flags taken in battle by the Union soldiers to be returned to the States to which they belonged before their capture. Of all the foolish and unpopular things Cleveland has been guilty of during his term in the President's office this last order for the return of the flags was the weakest and meanest. But a protest went up instantly from the "boys in blue" in every section of the Union which compelled him to drop the flag business like a hot potato and wish most devoutly and earnestly that he never had had anything to do with it. He could not have done a more unwise or more unpopular thing if he had studied ever so hard over it. But giving up the captured rebel flags was in complete accordance with his feelings for everyone knows that the veterans who helped save the Nation have next to no hold at all on Clevelands gratitude or respect. He has never allowed an opportunity to give the old soldiers a slap in the face to pass by unimproved—he don't like "the boys" at all, and there is no love lost between him and them. This is how General Butler puts it:

"We have sent back to the South pretty much all that we got from them. We have given them back all that we took from them in cotton under the laws. I do not complain of that at all. There is no sentiment, but we must stop somewhere in this giving up of everything that belongs to the war, for if we return our flags captured from them I think the next thing they will ask that we will return the slaves captured from them, and I propose to stop at flags here and now."

☞ A large and enthusiastic meeting of anti-soloon Republicans was held in New York City last week. It was attended and participated in by many of the best and most prominent members of the Republican party in the State. The movement was begun in a small way some time ago and has become by a steady growth an important element in the politics of the country. The Republican party is by the character of its composition and naturally a temperance and anti-saloon party, but there have always been men enough in it of sufficient influence and weight of standing to keep it from doing its best for the cause of sobriety and carrying out its convictions as to the part the anti-saloon principle should have in its policy. But the party will be driven into taking a firm and decided stand in favor of temperance and against the saloons before a great while if it would maintain itself with the people of the country. The best and strongest men in it favor a bold front and active operations against the influence and abuses of the rumshops now, and their ranks are being filled up and strengthened every day. It will not be long before temperance or anti-saloonism will be a cardinal tenet in the platform of the Republican party, and the sooner it comes to be so the better.

☞ Somewhat unexpectedly the Legislature adjourned without day on Thursday evening of last week. Failing to put through the salary grab bill the members concluded they couldn't get away from the State House any too soon and so packed their carpetbags and hastily departed that evening. The general opinion is that it was a pretty cheap Legislature.

☞ The Robert E. Lee camp of Confederate veterans left Boston last Sunday afternoon for home after a splendid three days reception and entertainment by Post 15, G. A. R., of Boston, with which they were delighted. Post 15 were the guests of Robert E. Lee Camp at Richmond last fall and this was the return visit. It was a grand affair all the way through.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

S. R. Niles—Wanted.
O. S. Knapp—Citation.
W. N. Titus—Red Men.
J. G. Maguire—Citation.
W. E. Jenks—Investment.
W. G. A. Pattee—Citation.
JOURNAL OFFICE—Organist.
Five Cents Savings Bank—Notice.
Fourth of July Committee—Celebration.

— Read Mr. Jenks's notice of "Safe Investments."

— Not very bad—hammocks at Jenkins's for 75 cents—is it?

— The Five Cents Savings Bank has an interesting notice in this issue of the JOURNAL.

— The Daughters of Rebekah picnicked at the Willows, Salem, last Wednesday.

— There was a thunder storm on Wednesday evening with a good deal of much needed rain.

— The Selectmen have ordered a Town Meeting held to consider the charter business. Good!

— The lady who will deliver the principal address at the meeting of the W. C. T. U. in the Baptist church next Sunday evening is said to be one of the best and most entertaining platform orators in the State.

— Rev. D. Richards of Somerville will officiate at All Saints Chapel next Sunday afternoon at 2.45 P. M. Seats free.

— Copeland & Bowser have a "Special Notice" in the JOURNAL this week which deserves to be carefully read.

— The child was the grandchild of Mr. William T. Kendall, and instead of being 6 months it was 15 months old. Now it *is* right.

— It will be rather a dry, lonely and disconsolate 4th of July to anybody who hasn't some of Tabor's beautiful Penobscot salmon for dinner.

— At Police Station No. 1 is a shawl found on Mt. Pleasant street, which the owner can get by calling there, proving property, etc.

— Prior has filled the Woburn Bargain Store full of fireworks which he will sell on the 1, 2 and 4th of July. Examine his big stock.

— The 4th of July Committee of Arrangements earnestly request that all citizens display the American flag at their residences during the day.

— Curtis's announcement of the sale of fireworks in this paper makes mighty interesting reading. The Bazaar will be full of everything for the 4th.

— Superintendent Jones tells us that the E. M'd'x St. R'y will probably be completed to Stoneham by July 1, and clear through in six weeks from now.

— William G. Miller came up from Lewiston, Maine, last Monday and returned on Tuesday afternoon. He called at this office for a few moments.

— The Concert that was to have been given by the Woburn Brass Band on the Common last Wednesday evening was postponed on account of the rain to this evening.

— Mr. E. H. Davis, Superintendent of the Chelsea public schools, and a very popular one they all say, was over here last Friday to review his former field of similar labor.

— By referring to our business columns it will be seen that an advertiser wants a position as an organist. Information may be obtained by calling at the JOURNAL office.

— Miss Lizzie B. Dodge and Miss Marion I. Smith were dubbed Bachelors of Arts by the authorities of Wellesley College, from which famous institution they graduated the other day.

— Cherries are ripe and now the English sparrows are living on the fat of the land. To which nobody would object if they would only confine their feeding to fruit located beyond the reach of the rightful owners of it.

— At the regular meeting of the School Board to be held on the evening of the last Tuesday in the month, to wit, next Tuesday, June 28, the election of teachers for the year will take place. We are informed that the anxious seats are quite full of candidates.

— Division No. 18, A. O. H., of Montvale, have elected the following officers: — President, James Cogan; Vice President, Patrick Mulrenen; Recording Secretary, John Quigley; Financial Secretary, Owen Kerrigan; Treasurer, Michael Golden.

— Officer Michael Walsh has been longer on the Police force than any other man and bids fair to remain on it for years to come. He is a good officer and popular with everybody, and so when his new house on Middle street is completed and he gets settled in it his many friends will congratulate him.

— The Sun Electric Nine met the J. T. Freeman's Nine on the Horn Pond grounds Saturday June 18, and defeated them 56 to 6.

THE SCORE.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Sun Elec,	8	9	5	10	13	11	—56
J. T. Freeman,	1	1	0	0	2	2	— 6

— Dr. John M. Harlow attended the annual meeting of the New Hampshire State Medical Society at Concord last Tuesday and by invitation made a speech before it. The Governor was also present and delivered a formal address. Dr. Harlow visited the Legislature now in session at the capitol.

— Yesterday morning on coming to this office we found on our table a lovely bouquet of roses, pinks and other favorite flowers which was sent down by Mr. John S. True, his wife, or Miss Nellie—perhaps from all of them—to whom we return sincere thanks. It was indeed an elegant great bunch of sweetly odorous bloom.

— Mrs. E. M. Drake, the Dakota missionary, and Mrs. Coit, wife of the Secretary of the American Home Missionary Society, came up from the home of the latter in Winchester last Wednesday to spy out the land and see what our noble-hearted Christian people were willing to do for the cause of religion in the far West.

— The following are the recently elected officers of Division No. 3, A. O. H.:—President, Patrick McHugh; Vice President, Thomas H. Manley; Recording Secretary, John Murphy; Financial Secretary, Francis J. McPartlin; Assistant Secretary, Edward E. Lynch; Treasurer, James Meehan, Jr.; Janitor, Bryan Joyce.

— Within a few days George W. Hanson has received from the Order of the Iron Hall $100 for 4 weeks disability by reason of sickness; B. A. Tripp received $25 for one weeks'; and Daniel Barnum, $50 for 2 weeks; and you can't make either one of these gentlemen believe that the Iron Hall is not the best institution that there is.

— Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Chamberlain of Eastern Avenue went to Wyoming Territory a couple of weeks ago and will return about July 1. Mr. Chamberlain is interested in cattle raising in Wyoming and his object in going there at this time was to look after the business. He and Mrs. Chamberlain will visit Denver and other places in Colorado before they return.

— The vote of the Board of Selectmen on the petition of about fifty citizens to have the liquor law strictly and impartially enforced in this town, at the meeting last Tuesday evening, was prompt and unanimous, showing that the Board's intention and aim is to carry out the reasonable will of the people in matters pertaining to their interests. But then, there was no grounds for a suspicion that the Board would vote otherwise than they did.

— An oil landscape in the window at Ruggles's art store goes to show that T. Marvin Parker knows how to handle the artist's brush with considerable skill, and also hints at a conclusion that quite likely he missed his calling in life when he became principal man in a country variety store. A critic might possibly carp at it, but whether one would or not, we think it a good piece of painting.

— The National Band will give their first concert of the season on the Common, next Wednesday evening, June 29, 1887.

PROGRAMME.

1.	March, Major Millett's.	Thomas
2.	Overture, Auron.	Pettee
3.	Alto Solo, Laurel.	Ripley
4.	Waltz, Rememberance of Naples.	Benett
5.	March, Courier of the Alps.	Dereme
6.	Medley, Popular Airs.	Boettger
7.	Gavotte. Bijou.	Kottain
8.	Schottische, Dream of Beauty.	Rollinson
9.	Medley, Olden times.	Beyer
10.	Finale, The Hunter.	Faust

— Last week three different Winchester parties unbeknown to each other applied to our real estate men for houses, which they could buy, suitable for boarding houses. They preferred purchasing to building them and wanted them at once. Which shows that Winchester people see and appreciate Woburn's boom in business and increase of population. Winchester people who are obliged to get a living by the sweat of their brows are anxious to come to Woburn, and as for that matter so are the people of other towns.

— A meeting of citizens was held in the Board of Trade Rooms last Wednesday evening to organize a Tribe of Red Men. William N. Titus was chosen Chairman of it, and J. E. Dixon, Secretary. It was addressed by Henry G. Way and Mr. Dobie of Medford, and William J. Dinsmore, Great Sachem, of Cambridge, who explained the Order. J. E. Dixon, George H. Conn, J. Winslow Richardson, C. W. Bryant, W. A. Hanson and F. L. Locke were appointed a committee to canvass for charter members.

— As usual the 17th was a hot day which made celebrating an unpleasant task. It was more of a holiday here than usual. Nearly all the business houses were closed in the forenoon and all of them during the afternoon and generally speaking the day was given over to patriotic displays and other ways of celebrating. A good many went down to Charlestown to help them out with the Bunker Hill celebration there, some went into the city, and nearly everybody went somewhere. So that, take it by and large, it was quite a holiday.

—The meeting of the W. C. T. U. which will be held in the Baptist church next Sunday evening ought to be a large one. The speaker is one of the most prominent and popular in the State which should be a strong inducement to draw the people out to the meeting, and in addition to that the Union needs help and encouragement and that plea should fill the house. Mr. P. E. Bancroft has kindly consented to take charge of the music and direct it and several of the clergymen will take part in the exercises of the evening. Every friend of temperance ought to esteem it a privilege to be permitted to attend such a meeting and help the good cause along.

— Last Tuesday evening another tennis team was organized in town. The meeting was held at the residence of Mrs. Julia Fuller on Chestnut street and the club is now ready for business. It was christened the Racquet Club, of which the following officers were chosen: President, Miss Dora T. Fuller; Vice-President, Miss Celia Reade; Secretary, Joseph Shields; Treasurer, Edward F. Cassidy. The Court is on Chestnut street near Mr. M. McKay's, and when completed will be unequalled by any in town. An adjourned meeting was held at the residence of Postmaster Reade last evening, and the Club will play its first game tomorrow afternoon.

— Chief Nelson and Sargeant McGee went on the war-path again yesterday morning and captured scalps. It didn't take long for that petition and the Board's order on it to "work." The first descent of the above officers was on the Central House, G. L. Cobb, proprietor, where "hard stuff" was seized and carried off. Success also attended the raid on the premises of Thomas Salmon. At James J. Carroll's liquors were found and taken away; so also at Samuel Ward's, but at John C. Meehan's nothing rewarded the search of the vigilant officials.—So much for enforcing the liquor law "strictly and impartially," as per petition aforesaid and order thereon.

— The English population of Woburn arose about an hour earlier than usual last Tuesday morning, swallowed a mug of 'alf-and-'alf, put on his white plug hat, and prepared to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the reign of his beloved sovereign, Queen Vic. of England, I., S., and Wales, in a manner becoming a true, loyal and loving subject. At noon the English population of the place took roast beef in his and topped off with a plum-pudding such he used to have at 'ome on State occasions, when the head of the family happened to 'ave money enough to provide one. In good old English style the British population of Woburn was so drunk by 4 p. m. that the celebration had to be declared off, he was put to bed, and the curtain was rung down for keeps.

— A few days since we received from our old friend O. J. Stough, Esq., of Chicago, a book on Oceanside, California, which was just a little the tallest boomer that we ever ran across. The conclusion arrived at after reading the work with much care and more pleasure was that the authors must have been educated in English composition on circus posters, or else Oceanside beats "all creation and a part of Starks" for scenic attractions, natural advantages, rapid growth, general and particular prosperity, beauty, healthfulness, sea-views, mountain scenery, facilities for business, railroad centre, and everything else. And it couldn't be learned from the book that a single house has yet been built at Oceanside, and whether one is ever built or not depended on how the auction sale of lots, that was to be held in a day or two, panned out.

— The different baseball clubs of this place are sweeping all before them and making outside players so sick that some of them wish they had never embarked in the business. Everywhere Woburn clubs go victory is seen perching on their banners as big as life and as prouund as Lucifer. For example, the Sun Electrics went down to Winchester the other day and cleaned out the Winchesters so effectually that it was a question in the minds of some of them whether or not they ever saw the real game played before or know much about it any way. Woburns 4; Winchesters 3; was the score! Then there was the game Woburns against the Wakefields last week. Wakefields 10; Woburns, 11! No show for the crispens, you see. The St. Charles Club are winning straight along and whoever tackles them are sure of defeat. Thus do our Woburn boys go on conquering all who have the temerity to accept the guage of battle from them.

— Col. A. L. Richardson informs us that the officers of the 5th Regiment M. V. M. held a meeting at the Regimental Headquarters in Boston last Wednesday at which it was voted to exclude spirituous liquors from the annual parade and camp this year. The General Muster will take place on July 19, at Framingham, and during its continuance, unlike former times, no liquors will be allowed on the field by anyone with the knowledge and consent of the commanding officers. This is a long step in the right direction and it will lead to good results. The boys have never been addicted to the use of intoxicating drinks to the extent alleged, but they are going to discard it entirely, and there is just where they are right. The Chaplain of the Regiment will soon visit Co. G. (Phalanx) and organize a "Custor Legion" among its members, and that too will be an excellent move, for the Legion is a temperance society destined to do great good. We are glad to see the noble work of temperance go on—among the military as well as civilians.

— The closing term of this season begins next Monday, June 27, at the Lewis Music School. The School is growing very popular. The patrons are much pleased with the efforts made by the Principal and his gifted assistant. The private Musicales given at frequent intervals, of which the recent successful Recital by Miss Nellie Platts was the last, have awakened considerable enthusiasm in musical circles. The "Mid-Summer Term" is a short one, only five or six weeks, we believe, and is designed to accommodate those whose duties, during the larger portion of the year, prevent due attention to musical study; to those who desire to spend part of the long Summer vacation in advancing their progress; also for music teachers who desire to improve their efficiency, as teachers. Five of our local teachers have studied with Mr. Lewis this season, two of whom have already secured a class of over twenty-five pupils. This teacher's course is *the* thing Hours are arranged for personal interviews, (see advertisement) or communications by mail will be promptly answered. It is safe to predict, that, another season will see a large number of new pupils in this School, if certain indications are reliable

— Mrs. D. Smith, now and for several years an overseer of one of the departments of the Massachusetts General Hospital, returned from Florida a few days since where she spent the winter, and on last Monday came out to see her old and intimate friend, Mr. E. Cooper. They met in the parlors of the Central House, of which Mr. Cooper is a permanent guest, where a very warm and cordial greeting, after the long absence, was exchanged. From the *reports* it was safe to say the meeting was a joyous one. Mrs. Smith accepted a polite invitation from Mr. Cooper to dine with him and the happy couple enjoyed an excellent dinner at a private table of the hotel. In the afternoon Mr. Cooper chartered one of Mr. G. F. Jones's fleetest and handsomest teams and the pair drove down to Winchester and elsewhere about the neighboring country with the vernal beauties of which Mrs. Smith expressed great delight. Later Mr. Cooper and his friend supped and spent a charming evening at the pleasant residence of Mr. George M. Buchanan on Bennett street and Church Avenue. Mrs. Smith returned to the city on Tuesday morning, but will be out again in a few days to join Mr. Cooper in some rustic rambles here and hereabouts.

— The School Board, individually and in pairs, have informed the reporter of the JOURNAL, at divers times of late, that the truth is not in him. They have been at great pains to impress on his mind the fact that they have reason to believe he misleads from the drop of the hat. When he states that true harmony is just now a stranger to the councils of the Board they accuse him of bearing false testimony and call him all manner of hard names. It avails him nothing in their eyes that he discloses the true intent and meaning of an order introduced at a Board meeting within the memory of the "Oldest Inhabitant" to the effect that there should be only four teachers in the High School. It counteth for naught when he brings up the order respecting the Principal of the High School that was read the other night, but which the authors were just a little afraid to present for action. They spurn our words and call them false when we tell them that the biggest kind of an effort is being put forth to prevent the re-election of Mr. Hanson, notwithstanding his long and distinguished service as Principal and that he is a candidate for re-election and that his health is better than it has been for two years. Nor, should we point out to them the chief actors in this business and show that they are the identical gentlemen who came very near getting an unworthy person into the school in place of the present able and efficient one—nay, if we should prove that politics and self-interest are at the bottom of more things than one in the world—would they give us credit of knowing a few things and for the ability to tell about them straight. But we do know some things that ought to be known and discussed, and possibly they may be brought to light some time.

It will repay any of our readers desiring window shades and spring fixtures to inspect the large stock and low prices at J. A. Glass & Co's, 119 Washington street, Boston.

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Meeting of the Board of Selectmen.

Last Tuesday evening the Board of Selectmen held their regular mid-monthly meeting for the transaction of business, at which all the members were present. Mr. James Skinner occupied the Chair and Clerk Ferguson kept the records.

The application of Mrs. John Jennings and Mr. W. C. Holdsworth to be allowed to keep and sell fireworks on July 1. 2 and 4, granted.——An invitation from the 4th of July Committee of Arrangements to attend the celebration on that day was accepted.——The petition of M. S. Seeley and others for calling a special Town Meeting to consider and act on the matter of a city charter was received on which it was voted that a Town Meeting for the purpose named be called and that the Chairman and Clerk of the Board be authorized and instructed to designate the date for holding the same, and report their doings at the next meeting of the Board.——Petition of L. H. Allen referred to the Highway Committee.——The following petition signed by some fifty voters was received:—

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of Woburn, Gentlemen:

We, the undersigned, citizens of the town of Woburn, respectfully represent, that, at the annual Town Meeting held in April last, it was voted that no license for the sale of intoxicating liquors be granted in the town for the ensuing year, therefore

Your petitioners, in the interest of good government and for the welfare of all the people, do most respectfully and earnestly request your Honorable Board to instruct the Chief of Police to use special dilligence in the discharge of his duty and to prosecute all violators of the law relative to the sale of intoxicating liquors.

On the foregoing petition it was voted that the same be referred to the Chief of Police, and that he is hereby ordered to enforce the liquor law in this town strictly and impartially.

The Committee on Military were instructed to cause the flags to be hoisted, bells rung, and a salute at morning and evening, on the 4th of July.——The Chairman of the Highway Committee reported that the matter of drainage at the railroad crossings, and the widening of the street at Walnut Hill arch bridge, had been amicably arranged.——The refusal of the Superintendent of the State Reformatory to release James McDonald and Timothy Dunnigan from that institution was read.——Adjourned.

W. C. T. U.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold its first public meeting in the Baptist church, on Sunday evening, June 26, at 7 o'clock. Mrs. McLaughlin of Boston, a well-known speaker in the cause of temperance, will address the meeting. The pastors of the several churches are also expected to take part in the exercises. Singing by a select choir. A collection will be taken to aid in the work of the Union. All are cordially invited.

The members, both active and honorary, of the Y. W. C. T. U. are requested to assemble in the church vestry promptly at at 6.45.

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The Regular Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trade was held at their Rooms on last Tuesday at the usual hour, President Converse presiding and in the absence of Mr. Horace N. Conn, Mr. F. H. Lewis was chosen Secretary pro. tem. On account of the heat and the engagement of so many of the members of the Board in preparing a grand celebration on the 4th of July the attendance was not large—perhaps not so many were present in the Rooms as is usually the case on such occasions. The audience was composed largely of chairmen or working members of committees who had reports of progress to make, although of course there were others besides them.

Hon. B. F. Whittemore, member of the Chapman Valve special committee, arose in behalf of its chairman, Mr. F. A. Flint, and asked for further time, which was granted. Mr. George Buchanan also craved an extension of time in which to look farther into the subject of changing quarters. His request was cordially granted. Similar requests came from other sources, all of which were satisfactorily arranged.

After these business matters were disposed of Judge P. L. Converse, President of the Board, gave a lecture on "Oregon" which was listened too with much interest. It was a carefully prepared paper from personal acquaintance with the subject, and delivered in a conversational way. The lecture, which, by the way, had been promised on a previous evening, was pronounced a very entertaining one, and it was regretted that more members were not present to hear it. The Judge is a good traveller, a keen observer, and has a ready tongue to describe what he has seen. It is probable the lecture will be repeated later in the season.

As usual it was voted to adjourn to the regular meeting of the Board in September, affording a vacation of two months. Taken by and large the meeting was a firstrate one.

Lawn Tennis.

The 17th witnessed the opening to the public of the grounds of the Mount Pleasant Lawn Tennis Association. These grounds are situated at the corner of Prospect and Mt. Pleasant streets, on land of Mr. Edward F. Johnson, from whom the association have obtained a five year's lease, of the property; and at an expense of over $500 have fitted up four as perfect grass courts as Mr. Jacob M. Ellis and his large force of skilled artisans could manufacture. A series of matched games was participated in on the opening day by some of the best local tennis talent of which Mr. W. E. Blodgett proved to be the best representative. The contests were witnessed by a large and select concourse of ladies and gentlemen who encircled the courts on which the more spirited contests were waged. On the limbs of the overhanging apple-trees, from the top of the adjacent telegraph pole and from the impinging fence rail, could be seen the ubiquitous small boy whose appreciation of the sport and enthusiasm for the good plays betoken the possible presence of a Sears in Woburn's rising generation.

To make the playing more interesting a series of match games were held, not of the nature of a regular tournament but open to all, and the four courts were well filled in the morning and early afternoon by the ten men striving for honors. The contests finally narrowed down to J. F. DeLoriea and W. E. Blodgett, whom it will be remembered met in the Club tourney of '86 and had such a strong fight: their event as in the fall, was close and well played, resulting finally in a victory for Blodgett, who was favored by court and sun, by the very narrow margin of 6-4, 2-6, 6-5.

E. F. Johnson showed up in unanticipated good form, not having played before this year, yet losing to the final winner by the close score of 6-5, on the deciding set. The winner of the club tournament to be held in September it would be hard to name. Any one of a half dozen men among the older players stand about an equal chance, besides the less experienced members whom it is by no means safe to leave out of consideration.

Taken altogether the day was a great success from a tennis player's point of view, and augured well for the permanency of this pastime in Woburn. The Association already has more applicants for season tickets than it can well accommodate, and has under consideration the putting in of a fifth court to meet the increasing demand of tickets. This fifth court will be what is known as a cinder court and will lie to the north of the club house with the prismatic colors of which it will be made to form a harmonious and pleasing contrast.—REPORTER.

The Dalmation authorities have begun the excavation of the old Roman city of Aperia, in the district of Zara. Dalmatia is about the only district where Roman coins, gems and cameos are still found in large quantities.

The Mongol invasion is setting eastward. A train which left San Francisco on the 11th inst, bore about 150 Chinese, destined mostly for Chicago and Boston.

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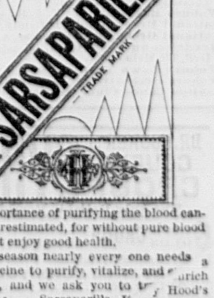

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Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, June 16, Dennis O'Callahan, aged 42 years, 10 months.

In Woburn, June 18, Charity A. Larribee, aged 62 years, 6 months, 4 days.

In Woburn, June 20, Mary L. Carley, aged 8 mos.

In Woburn, June 20, Lucy B. Merrill, aged 72 years.

In Woburn, June 21, Charles Upton, aged 38 years, 9 months.

In Winchester, June 15, Henry O. Marshall, aged 4 months.

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WINCHESTER.

The RR. Co. have raised the Swanton street bridge to the legal or regulation height.

Rev. Edward Everett Hale will preach at the Unitarian Church next Sunday.

Rumsellers find that "Jordan is a hard road to travel" in this town. If you don't believe it ask Tom Lynch of Swanton street.

There is to be a strawberry festival at the Unitarian church next Monday evening at which the Ruggles Street Quartet will sing.

The german given in Rangely Hall by Madames Shattuck and Cutter for the pleasure of the young people was very highly enjoyed.

The No. Wo. St. R'y Co. are changing the grade of their track at Swanton-Main street and lowering the same nearly two feet I should set it.

The *Star* says errors in the town By-laws saved a lad from the Reform School the other day. Name the lawyer who framed the By-laws.

The *Star* man thinks the Symmes Corner people "will have to tramp it to the Centre for a while longer" for all the street railway can do for them.

The prospect for a big pear crop here was never better than at the present time. If nothing happens there will be dead loads of them in this place and neighborhood.

Mr. John R. Newman will visit London, Eng., with the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston of which he is a member. They expect to get there on July 2.

Charles L. White, recently graduated from Brown University, sailed for Europe yesterday with a fellow-student. On Oct. 1, he will enter Regent Park Theological Seminary, London, and study there a year.

When the Sun Electrics of Woburn came down last week and beat our own Winchesters 4 to 3 our own Winchesters were not in good trim for No 1 work, or not in good trim enough to win the game. We will have our sweet revenge on the "Suns" before the summer is out.

My idea is that the most of our people who like 4th of July celebrations will go to Woburn a week from next Monday and have a good time. There will be nothing to speak of here, at least I have heard no talk about a home celebration, and there is to be none. Therefore our citizens will scatter probably.

At the annual convention of the Mass. Association of Congregational churches held at Brockton this week, Rev. Joshua Coit, D. D., was elected Secretary of the Association, and Mr. Edwin B. Palmer, Treasurer, both of this place. Rev. C. R. Seymour, pastor of the Winchester Congregational church, made an able address before the convention on "Church Work."

Everybody admires the beautiful fountain on our handsome Common. When throwing rainbow-tinted streams aloft and scattering the clear crystal drops all over the grassy plot around it, and otherwise doing its best to please the eye of people of taste, then you ought to see how it attracts the attention of passengers going back and forth in the cars, and how they admire and would like to have it. Our town is proud of its beautiful fountain on the Common.

Everything is as quiet and lovely down here as as a basket of chips. Some of us are packing our Saratogas for an early holiday flitting, but alas and alack! your humble correspondent is not one of them. Poverty with drawn sword and scowling visage stands between him and a seaside outing this summer, but he is glad to witness the happiness of those fortunate others who have money or friends enough to insure a vacation season and make it a pleasant one. But when the summer is gone, the outing at an end, and the people have returned, those who staid at home will be just as well off as those who went away, therefore why the wherefore, or any repining?

A correspondent tells about some needed improvements here in the *Star* and also of many already underway. I fully agree with his suggestions, or the major part of them, and hope they will be adopted by the authorities. Every succeeding year Winchester approaches nearer and nearer the ideal suburban residence and it will not be a great while before it will be given up entirely to that purpose—mostly to men who do business in Boston. All that is necessary to make this an elysium in summertime is to get rid of the few leather factories and tan-yards we now have and then everything will be neat, nice, genteel, select and just as we want it. Our people generally are perfectly willing that Woburn should make the leather and other things and have the people necessary for their production; but for ourselves we want none of them—*we* want to be nice.

On Friday the 17th, a pleasant family gathering surrounded the supper table of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Sanderson, it being the day when his father, Edmund Sanderson, reached the age of threescore and ten. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Sanderson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Simonds, Miss L. J. Sanderson, and the three grandchildren: Edmund C. Sanderson, and Roland and Marion Simonds. After all had partaken of the bountiful repast provided, Mr. Emerson left the table and soon returned, holding in his hand a gold-headed cane, which he presented to Mr. Sanderson as a token of love and respect from them all. The gift was wholly unexpected and the patriarch of 70 years responded in a very feeling manner. Mr. Sanderson has been in business in Winchester for 45 years, and is well-known and esteemed.

The School Board held a meeting last Saturday afternoon at which considerable business was transacted.——It was voted to adopt the no-recess plan next term for the morning sessions of the Grammar and Intermediate grades.——The next school year will begin Sept. 12, 1887, and will end June 29, 1888: there will be the following holidays, etc: Thanksgiving Day, day before and after, from Dec. 19, 1887, to Jan. 2, 1888, Washington's Birthday, from April 2 to April 9, 1888, Fast Day, Memorial Day, Saturdays during the School year.——The Chairman made the following appointments of committeemen:

High—Littlefield, Shepard and Russell. *Centre* and *Wyman Grammar*—March, Wadleigh, and Twombly. *Wyman Intermediate*, and *Primary*—Littlefield and March. *Gifford*—Wadleige and Twombly. *Chapin*—Twombly and Shepard. *Highland*—Russell and Shepard. *Rumford*—Russell and Littlefield. *Washington*—March. *Mystic*—Wadleigh. *Hill*—Twombly.

The meeting adjourned to meet two weeks from that night.

BURLINGTON.

There is to be a town meeting, Saturday night. The main business of the evening will be to fix a definite location for the new school house in the north part of the town.

The Burlington boys were defeated by the North Woburn club, Friday, and, in their turn, defeated the Billericas Saturday.

Now the pickers are busy. Mr. Edward Foster, the famous strawberry raiser in this region, has a large crop, and others are marketing their berries in smaller quantities.

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The Glorious Fourth.

The business is settled! The Woburn celebration on the 4th of July is to be made a big affair—the most extensive, patriotic and attractive since 1876. The critical point is passed, the danger of a slip-up has vanished, the committee have reached that point where they are able and do announce to the public a living know-so instead of guesswork. The celebration is a sure thing and will come off per programme, wind and weather permitting, and this community may govern itself accordingly.

The Committee of Arrangements held a meeting in the rooms of the Board of Trade last Saturday evening to block out a programme of the exercises to be held on the grand and glorious day which duty was attended to in the very best shape. J. G. Pollard was chosen permanent Chairman of the Committee and Charles W. Bryant was chosen its permanent Secretary and Treasurer. It was a very enthusiastic meeting indeed. The Committee were out in full force and everyone of them was ready for business. The report of the Soliciting Committee was in the highest degree favorable and removed all doubts about the celebration. Contributions of the sinews of war had come in on a liberal scale all round so that the question of finance gave nobody any trouble. It was all plain sailing.

W. F. Kenney, F. H. Lewis, Mark Allen, E. F. Wyer were appointed a committee to retire, agree on and fetch in for the consideration of the whole committee the skeleton of a programme for the sports and exercises of the 4th, which duty these gentlemen promptly attended. They cut and arranged an excellent order of sports and amusements which when reported was unanimously and cordially accepted by the meeting. Of course details were eschewed by this sub-committee, those being left to the control of the special committees.

The programme which they laid out for a great celebration was (1) a grand military, civic and firemen's procession to be preceded by the "Ancients and Horribles," bands, police escort, drum corps, and followed by the unclassified crowd. The sum of $150 was appropriated for the Antiques. The committee having charge of this division are: Henry M. Aldrich, H. Eustace Smith, F. H. Lewis, Mark Allen, Thomas H. Hill.

This will be followed (2) by field, athletic, aquatic and other sports, for which a handsome appropriation was made. These exhibitions of brawn and patriotism will be given in different sections of the town, mainly on Salem street. The committee are: William F. Kenney, Ed. F. Cassidy, Thomas H. Hill, Francis P. Curran, Mark Allen. Then will come (3) an entertainment by and for the children to be given, some say in Carter's Skating Academy, and others say somewheres else, under the management of Joseph G. Pollard, Edward E. Thompson, Capt. John P. Crane, C. E. Tripp, and Lawrence Reade.

In the afternoon the treat of (4) a balloon ascension by a firstclass ascensionist is expected to be a feature of the programme, and will surely come off if Capt. Ed. F. Wyer, Fred J. Brown and F. S. Burgess, the committee, can possibly make it go. In the evening there will be a grand display of fireworks (5) for which a generous appropriation of money was made. This will be under the management of Fred J. Brown, George M. Buchanan, E. F. Wyer, Jacob M. Ellis, W. F. Kenney. The committee to provide music (6) for the celebration are C. W. Bryant, Milton Moore, John S. True, Walter A. Hanson, Sewell D. Samson.

It was voted to invite the Board of Selectmen to co operate with the Committee of Arrangements in carrying out the above order of exercises set forth in skeleton. The details of each department will be determined on and given to the public in due season. At the adjourned meeting of the C. of A. on last Wednesday evening plans were further matured and features added to the programme. The various subcommittees are as busy as bees and report progress satisfactory to everybody.

The 4th of next July is going to be a big day here in Woburn!

And don't you forget it!

Woman's Club.

The last meeting of the season before the long vacation was a social meeting, held June 16. About seventy ladies, members of the Club and their friends, met at the Unitarian Church at eight o'clock in the morning and three large barges were soon filled and on the way to Concord, where we were to spend the day. It was a perfect June day and we all enjoyed the ride along the beautiful country roads.

As we neared Concord, we were on the alert to see everything of interest and the first we came to was the home of Hawthorne, called "The Wayside," which is now occupied as a summer residence by Daniel Lothrop, Esq.; the well known Boston publisher. Next we came to the "Orchard House," noted as the home of the Alcott family for many years and now the residence of Dr. W. T. Harris, who is at the head of the celebrated Concord School of Philosophy. The Chapel, a very small unpretending structure in which the School is now held, stands on the hillside west of the "Orchard House." Soon, on the left, we saw Emerson's home, a plain, wooden house standing in a grove of pine trees. Passing through the town, we noticed various interesting points, as the First Church, Wright's Tavern, the present summer home of the Alcott's, two old burying grounds and the monument on the Common.

Our barges did not stop however, till we reached the Concord Reformatory. Here we were shown every attention by the Superintendent, Col. Tufts, and his deputy. Under their guidance we examined all parts of this great institution and the following are a few facts that were gleaned: There are at present seven hundred and fifty inmates, the ages ranging from fifteen to seventy-five years. They manufacture chairs, harnesses, boots and shoes, beside doing all the carpentering, painting and repairing about the buildings. All the clothing for the men is made there also and all the laundry and kitchen work is carried on by the prisoners. At noon we saw them come from the work shops, form in line and march to the main building to get their dinner. There was a great difference in the appearance of the cells. Some contained merely the plain necessities furnished by the prison rules, while others were carpeted, hung with pictures, lined with books and draperies hung at the door. After the inspection, the Club gave a vote of thanks to Col. Tufts for his kindness in showing us over the Reformatory, and he responded in fitting terms.

We then drove immediately to the house of Mrs. E. L. Brooks, who had kindly opened her beautiful grounds to us. Soon the party was scattered about in groups, doing ample justice to the good things that came forth from the baskets.

After luncheon, we soon started off again, for no valuable time could be lost. The Public Library was first visited. It is a beautiful building and contains many interesting things, but no one seemed ready to exchange it for our own Library. From this point we separated and went in various directions, some visiting the old burying grounds and others the "Battle Ground" and the "Old Manse" near by, which was for years the principal house in the town. But the "Battle Ground" was the greatest attraction of all. On the side where the British fought stands a plain granite shaft, while on the opposite side of the river, where the Americans fought, we see the statue of the "Minute Man," sculptured by Mr. D. C. French of Concord. After taking our places in the barges again, we were driven to Sleepy Hollow Cemetery, where we visited the graves of Hawthorne, Thoreau and Emerson. The first two are marked by plain headstones, while the monument of the later consists of an immense block of various kinds of quartz, just as it came from the quarry, with no inscription to distinguish it. Once more seated in the barges, we left them no more till we reached home, tired perhaps, but feeling that we had gained a great deal and that our Social Meeting had been a grand success.—X.

A Gander Picnic.

The Mishawum Club, that time honored institution of Woburn, to the number of 22, indulged in the luxury of a gander picnic on the seventeenth. They chartered Jones's barge "Commonwealth" with Dan Jones as manipulator of the ribbons to convey them to Lincoln Pond in the beautiful town of Lincoln for the day's outing. The distance being some 9 miles an early start was necessary, and at 6 o'clock in the morning the load of jolly souls left the Central House yard for the journey, stopping at the depot to pick up two rustics from the North Village who completed the party.

Col. Tay and Mark Eaton, caterers, were sent ahead several hours previous with a load of provisions, and soon after the boys arrived in camp breakfast was announced and the way the hungry crowd disposed of the baked beans and brown bread and coffee was a caution to behold. Flannel shirts and old clothes were the announced wearing apparel for the occasion, and in this respect the President of the Club, as became his position, obeyed the order to the letter, and took first prize in that department. The Hoo Doos however openly rebelled at the order and appeared out in starched linen with gorgeous neckties, and all day long positively refused to leave the balmy shades of the luxurious growth of trees for fear of adding a healthful sunburn to their sallow and drawing-room complexions. While they wooed the goddess of health in the shade the rest of the boys divided into two clubs to play baseball.

There not being men enough to fill all the positions only 7 on a side were chosen, and Captain Blanchard directed the energies of the married seven, while Captain Brown took charge of the celibates. Col. Buchanan was the official scorer, and genial Will Davis officiated as umpire, and the way he umpired and fined the kickers was certainly refreshing to the treasurer of the club when he comes to collect the fines, if he ever can.

The game began in the forenoon, but for reasons too numerous to mention, principal among which was the muffing indulged in and the lack of outfielders to hunt for the ball when the cover got knocked off of it, the game was not finished at the time the bugle called the famished crowd to dinner. After the dinner of clams a la carte had been disposed of and a short rest taken to recuperate from the exhausting exercise, the game was resumed with more eclat than ever, and when a friendly cloud kindly obscured the sun for a time the genial umpire would kindly emerge from the shadow of a tree to take his proper position and give correct judgment of the fine points of play indulged in and continue his fining process of unruly players. During the afternoon the game came to a close with a gratifying result to the married men as the appended score will show.

With aching limbs and sore hands the club reassembled and prepared for the home journey at six o'clock and after a most delightful drive they arrived in town at 8 o'clock in the evening, each one saying it was one of the most enjoyable days the club ever experienced, and the sentiment was unanimous to observe the day in a similar manner every succeeding year. In passing through Lexington the thoughts of the older members of the club went back 20 years to the day when they met their first and worst defeat at baseball with the famous Aquilas of Lexington on the old Revolutionary Battle ground, and of the generous lunch provided for them by their worthy antagonists. In the party were five of the old Mishawums who joined the club 20 years ago when it was a baseball club and have shared in all its ups and downs during that time, and one who 20 years ago belonged to the Websters of North Woburn, one of the early clubs that crossed sticks with the Mishawums.

BENEDICTS.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	O	R
Bond, 1b.	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	2	4	9
Grammer, 3b.	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	4	6
Littlefield, p.	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	2	6
Dow, ss.	2	1	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	5	4
Blanchard, 2b,	0	2	0	0	3	3	2	0	0	4	5
Ramsdell, cf.	0	3	3	0	2	0	0	3	0	4	3
Beggs, c.	3	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	4	5
Runs,	6	1	6	7	0	3	3	5	7	27	38

CELIBATES.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	O	R
Ropes, 1b.	0	0	0	3	1	1	1	1	0	5	3
W. N. Blake, c.	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	8
Evans, 3b.	0	2	0	0	2	2	0	2	2	5	5
F. Blake, ss.	1	0	0	1	0	3	2	0	0	4	4
Jones, 2b.	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	7
Smith, cf.	2	3	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	4	2
Brown, p.	3	0	3	0	0	0	3	3	3	5	2
Runs	7	5	0	4	1	3	2	9	0	27	31

INNINGS.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Benedicts,	6	1	6	7	0	3	3	5	7—38	
Celibates,	7	5	0	4	1	3	2	9	0—31	

Scorer—Geo. Buchanan.
Umpire—W. F. Davis.—X.

Obituary.

On Sunday, June 12, Lieutenant George Myrick Starbuck passed quietly to rest after a painful illness of over two weeks which he bore with the fortitude of a Christian hero. He came to Woburn in comparatively good health, but, as now seems providentially, to pass his last days with his sisters, Mrs. Hamilton J. Cate and Miss Julia M. M. Starbuck.

Lieutenant Starbuck was a son of the late Hon. William Coffin Starbuck of Nantucket, a relative of Admiral Sir Isaac Coffin; and grandson of Deputy Grand Master Elisha Starbuck, also High Sheriff, and Aaron Mitchell, one of the wealthy men of his time, and president of two banks. He was born in Nantucket on April 7, 1830, and was 57 years of age at the time of his death. He passed his early years in his native town leaving there when about the age of 21 years. He enlisted in the famous 6th Massachusetts Regiment after its return from Baltimore, which regiment afterwards formed the nucleus of the 26th, into which he was mustered as corporal, Sept. 3, 1861, and Aug. 11, 1863, he was transferred to the 1st Louisiana Cavalry as 2d Lieutenant, with the prospect of a Captaincy in the event of the formation of a second regiment of Louisiana Cavalry. His was a genial nature, ever ready to lend a helping hand, and generous to a fault, his presence was like a ray of sunshine and he made all who came in contact with him feel that gentle influence.

He leaves two daughters, a son, three sisters and a brother to mourn his loss. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. S. W. Bush of Boston, a Unitarian, and J. Frank Winkley of Woburn, who had baptized him. Mrs. Winkley sang sweetly the hymn, "Thy Will Be Done." His remains were taken to Nantucket for interment in the family lot.

Literary Notices.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for July makes its appearance in good time as is its custom. It is a fine summer number, the perusal of which will be greatly enjoyed. Some of its many excellent papers are well illustrated while its various departments are filled with useful and entertaining information. The number contains new music by popular writers, and the illustrations and descriptions of adult and children's clothing are of the latest styles and will be found valuable by the ladies. We furnish the JOURNAL and COTTAGE HEARTH for $2.00 a year—the price of the JOURNAL alone.

The July number of LIPPINCOTT'S MONTHLY MAGAZINE is largely given up to the brilliant young Southern writers who have recently been celebrated in *Harper's Magazine*. Julia Magruder, Amelie Rives, Thomas Nelson Page, Robert Burns Wilson and Charles Washington Coleman, Jr., all figure among its contributors. Miss Magruder contributes the complete novel of the number, At Anchor. Miss Rives has one of her wonderful short stories, The Farrier Lass o' Piping Pebworth. In vigor, in pathos, in humor, in the rare charm of genius, The Farrier Lass stands alone in recent magazine literature. The fourth of the series of essays on college life deals with the University of Virginia, and is written by J. B. Minor, Jr. There is also a bitter and amusing attack on West Point contributed by Fred. Perry Powers. Lucy C. Lillie under the title, The Mistress of the White House, gives a gossipy, readable account of the most prominent ladies who have occupied that position, and concludes with a personal sketch of Mrs. Cleveland. The Unpopular Kitchen by Jane Ellis Joy, discusses the servant-girl question. Thomas Nelson Page contributes a humorous poem in negro dialect. Robert Burns Wilson has an exquisite bit of pathos entitled My Love Goeth Forth. Charles W. Coleman's The Passing of the Singer has all the simple beauty of the old ballads, and Maurice F. Egan contributes Golden Noon. The departments are as bright and readable as ever.

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MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—Rev. George Batcheller, formerly of Chicago, will preach at 10.30 a. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m; young peoples' meeting 6 p. m; Union Temperance meeting at the Baptist Church at 7 p. m. Preparatory lecture Wednesday evening; Christian Endeavor Friday evening.

BAPTIST.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m; a Temperance Address will be given by Mrs. McLaughlin of Boston, under the auspices of The Woman's Christian Temperance Union at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening; Church Covenant meeting Friday evening.

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HAIR that has become weak, gray, and faded, may have new life and color restored to it by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. "My hair was thin, faded, and dry, and fell out in large quantities. Ayer's Hair Vigor stopped the falling, and restored my hair to its original color. As a dressing for the hair, this preparation has no equal.—Mary N. Hammond, Stillwater, Minn.

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Ayer's Hair Vigor,

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PERFECT SAFETY, prompt action, and wonderful curative properties, easily place Ayer's Pills at the head of the list of popular remedies for Sick and Nervous Headaches, Constipation, and all ailments originating in a disordered Liver.

I have been a great sufferer from Headache, and Ayer's Cathartic Pills are the only medicine that has ever given me relief. One dose of these Pills will quickly move my bowels, and free my head from pain.—William L. Page, Richmond, Va.

Ayer's Pills,

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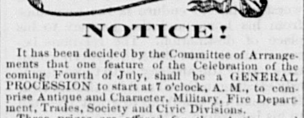
Independence Day.



NOTICE!

It has been decided by the Committee of Arrangements that one feature of the Celebration of the coming Fourth of July, shall be a GENERAL PROCESSION to start at 7 o'clock, A. M., to comprise Antique and Character, Military, Fire Department, Trades, Society and Civic Divisions.

Three prizes are offered for the Antique and Character feature of the parade. **First, $35.00; Second, $25.00; Third, $15.00.**

In order to make this procession and its several features successful, it is necessary that the citizens co-operate.

The Sub-Committee on the Procession request that all who are desirous of taking part in the following features report as soon as possible to the members designated:

Antique and Character: To F. H. LEWIS.
Trades: To THOMAS H. HILL, Esq.
Societies: To MARK ALLEN.

Per order of
COMMITTEE ON PROCESSION.

Fourth of July FIELD SPORTS.

The Sub-Committee on Sports for the Fourth of July have arranged for a Base Ball Match Game to take place at the St. Charles Grounds, Salem street, in the forenoon.

A prize of $40.00 will be offered, to be contested for only by regular uniformed Woburn Clubs, composed of residents of Woburn.

Also, $10.00 to be contested for by Juvenile nines, the players to be under 15 years of age.

Three prizes, $12, $8 and $5, will be offered for a Bicycle Race, hour and course to be made known later. The contestants must be residents of Woburn. Not less than four entries must be made.

Entries for Base Ball Games and Bicycle Race to be made to FRANCIS P. CURRAN, ESQ., 186½ Main street.

Per order of
COMMITTEE ON SPORTS.

Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank.

Incorporated A. D, 1854

JOHN CUMMINGS, President.
E. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

Jacob Brown, Samuel Cook, G. R. Gage, Vice Presidents.

NOTICE.

The Annual Meeting of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank Corporation will be held at the Banking Rooms of said Bank on **Friday, July 1, 1887**, at 7.30 o'clock, P. M. for the choice of officers for the ensuing year, and any other business that may legally come before said Corporation.

The quarterly meeting of the Trustees will be held immediately after the Corporation meeting.

E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk.
WOBURN, June 22, 1887.

P. S. Money deposited on or before Saturday, July 9, 1887, will draw interest from July 1. Dividends payable on and after Monday, July 11, 1887.

E. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

SAFE INVESTMENTS

FOR SALE BY

WM. E. JENKS,

31 MILK STREET, Room 15,
BOSTON.

Correspondence solicited.

RED MEN.

It having been voted to organize a tribe of the Improved Order of Red Men in this town, a second public meeting will be held in the

Fourth District Court Room, Thursday Evening, June 30.

All persons wishing to charter members should make application to the Committee at once.

PER ORDER.

WANTED!

Position as ORGANIST. Best of reference given. Inquire at THIS OFFICE.

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July Fourth.

DELIVERED FREIGHT FREE.

See our Catalogue and Price-list, in which we offer Private Displays and Collections of the highest grade fire works

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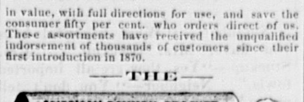

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Send for our Price-list, Catalogue, and List of July 4th Material.

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Special Notice!

After the interruption incident to enlarging and repairing our store we are now in a condition to welcome our patrons and to offer some special bargains which cannot fail to please.

Among them we will only mention the follow:—

36-inch All-Wool Dress Goods 25c. per yard.

Printed Lawns 3c. per yard.

Navy Blue Batiste, very fine quality, 12½c. per yard.

1 Case Gent's Balbriggan Shirts, 24c. each.

Gent's Socks, Handkerchiefs and Ties.

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Woburn, Mass.

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(Successor to Prior & Mann.)

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Just received a full line of

Ladies' and Misses' Oxford Ties

In Black, Wine and Russet.

Misses' Kid Button, $1.25, $1.25, $2.00.

A full line of Children's Grain, Goat and Kid Spring Heel. Also, a large line of Infant's Fancy Shoes.

Men's Calf Oxford $2.50, regular $3.00, a bargain.

Men's Calf Strap Cap and Plain Toe, $2.00 and $2.60.

Pilgrim Shoe in Lace, Button and Congress, $2.50.

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It soon brings into healthy play
The torpid liver day by day
And Regulates the System through,
From crown of head to sole of shoe.
It cures the Piles, it opens pores,
Lost appetite it soon restores,
Wise families throughout the land
Keep TARRANTS' SELTZER near at hand.

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This will be a great year for speculation, as we are on the eve of an important movement in stocks. Any one can make money who operates intelligently. We will keep you correctly informed for $10 per month with the best information in Wall St. It will pay you to become a subscriber at once. Send $1 for a good point and our circular.

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NOTICE.

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Residence East Lexington, Mass.

Telephone 6830.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, Creditors, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of James E. Rogers, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Winthrop Hammond of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of June instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

25-3 J. H. TYLER Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Sophia Hersey, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Tilson A. Mead of Quincy, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

27-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Elbridge Trull, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Adrianna T. Munroe, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt her from giving surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of July next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To the next of Kin, Creditors, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of James McGuinness, of Winchester, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Peter J. Maguire of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of July next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Continued Bargains

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Until July 1. LADIES', MISSES', and CHILDREN'S BONNETS, and MATERIALS for TRIMMINGS, at very low prices. A few

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Hurrah for Salmon!

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All other fish IN PROPORTION, at

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Opposite Post Office.

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Apply to D. G. CONVERSE.

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Men to sell the "Good Luck Luminous Dial" Alarm Clock (can see time at night as well as day.) Sells like hot cakes. $20.00 to $40.00 per week guaranteed. J. A. HALEY, 28 Kneeland street, Boston.

Literary Notices.

THE MUSICAL HERALD for July teems with good things in the musical line. The new pieces of music in it are worth more than the price of the magazine. Published by The Musical Herald Co., Boston.

The numbers of THE LIVING AGE for June 11 and June 18 contain The Present Position of European Politics, and Nature and Books, German Life in London, Some Notes on Colonial Zoology, Peacock, At Bosig, Benaboo, and Burma's Ruby Mines, Duke Carl of Rosenmold, Recollections of Kaiser Wilhelm, Our Last Royal Jubilee, The Gwalior "Find," Off with his Head, The Egyptian Oil Wells, May Day as it Is and as it Was, A Result of Education in India, A Day's Boat Hunting Bengal, with Installments of "The Pilgrims," "Het: a Romance of the Bush," "Brother Peter" and "Richard Cable" and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 monthlies or weeklies with THE LIVING AGE for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY for July contains several articles bearing on the interests of the business world. Among them is the first of a series by David A. Wells, on The Economic Disturbances since 1873. Mr. Stuart A. Weld in an article on The Panama Canal, describes the present condition and the prospects of that important undertaking. Lawsuit or Legacy is of concern to every person interested in Life insurance. Of more directly scientific interest is The Task of American Botanists. In Variations of Human Stature, M. Guyot Daubes seeks to determine the range of variation, and the causes which make one man or race large and another small. Ex-President Andrew D. White gives a view of the curious dogmas or fancies that have been harbored in the Church or by churchmen concerning meteorological phenomena. In Human Brain-Weights Dr. Joseph Simms gives the principal facts that have been determined with reference to the weight of men's brains. Mr. Isaac Kinley furnishes the geological explanation of the origin of the North American Lakes. Grant Allen gives a descriptive sketch of Among the Thousand Islands. In earthquakes, Professor George H. Darwin describes the latest observations that have been made of earthquake phenomena. Mr. George J. Romanes has a study of the Mental Differences between Men and Women. A sketch and portrait are published of Dr. Isaac Lea, the American conchologist, who has recently died at between ninety and a hundred years old. The views of Dean Burgon, of Chichester, on evolution, and the Anti-Poverty Society's Fight against Povery, are discussed in the Editor's Table. New York: D. Appleton & Company. Fifty cents a number, $5 a year.

ST. NICHOLAS has a strongly patriotic flavor, appropriate to the Fourth of July. Even the Brownies become imbued with the prevalent enthusiasm, and celebrate the day at night. Miss Jessie C. Glasier, a new writer, contributes an amusing sketch of negro child life, called A Gunpowder Plot, which is capitally illustrated by E. W. Kemble. Miss Lillian Dynevor Rice presents A Fourth of July Record in bright and clever verse. Betty's Sunday,—charmingly illustrated by R. B. Birch,—carries us back to the War of 1812, and tells of a brave little American girls adventure with the enemy. The installment of Winning a Commission, too—with its pictures of cadet life at West Point—falls in line with these timely attractions of the number.

Frank R. Stockton follows his last month's paper on King London with an equally entertaining description of life In English Country, characteristic scenes of which Alfred Parsons and Harry Fenn show in several delightful drawings. H. H. Boyesen commences a new Tale of Two Continents, entitled Fiddle-John's Family, the frontispiece by George Wharton Edwards forming the principal illustration.

The tourist of to-day, whether in English country with Stockton, in Norway with Boyesen, or at home in America, is not completely equipped without his camera, his outfit, and—a knowledge of their use. Alexander Black, an amateur with a professional's experience, gives, in The Amateur Camera, some useful hints to his fellow amateurs who have not his experience—the sort of advice that is not found in the books.

Juan and Juanita are conducted by Miss Baylor through another series of adventures; and James Otis tells how the boarders in Jenny's Boarding-house recovered from the effects of the fire and made a startling discovery.

Charles G. Leland has an article on Bead and Wire Inlaying, there are Jingles by Mrs. Bellows, Margaret Vandegrift, and N. P. Babcock and poems by F. D. Sherman, George Cooper, Henry Tyrrell, Anna M. Pratt, Clara G. Dolliver, and others.

The table of contents of THE AMERICAN MAGAZINE for July is remarkable for length and variety. The frontispiece reproduces a painting by Seaton Donoho, bearing reference to the well-known tradition that several Indian tribes used to hold their yearly councils on the hill where now stands the national capitol. Under the title of Metlakahtla, Z. L. White tells, with illustrations, the story of the complete civilization of an Indian tribe on the Northwest Coast. In Olivia Delaplaine Mr. Fawcett leads his readers out of the elegant circles of wealth and fashion, and introduces them to the less refined society gathered at the table of a New York boarding-house. The Rev. S. W. Culver gives an interesting account of the colored schools in the Southwest. Guadalupe, Mexico, is the site of the collegiate church for the national worship of the Virgin: Arthur Howard Noll describes the founding of the shrine, the magnificence of the buildings, and the peculiar ceremonies that takes place during the annual *fiesta*. An illustrated article on Literary Life in Philadelphia, by Moses P. Handy, gives several brief sketches of men and women famous in the world of letters. A prominent field of industry for women, in the cultivation of fruits and flowers, is the subject of an article by George R. Knapp. Book auctions and bibliomaniacs are sketched by Frank Lee Farnell; Longfellow's home, by Claiborne Addison Young; and a wilderness in Vermont, by F. Blanchard. Frank G. Carpenter gives an amusing resume of the difficulties encountered by our representatives abroad in the matter of costume on state occasions. Tardy justice to Southern housekeeping is at at last rendered, in an article by Zitella Cocke. There are three completed stories in this number: Mrs. Hardy's Encounter with a Ghost, The Dominant, and A Sudden Disappearance. Edna Dean Proctor offers a graceful tribute in verse to The Lady of the White House. Henry W. Austin preserves The Legend of Crystal Spring (Medford, Mass., 1675) in an illustrated poem of considerable length. Shorter poems of considerable length by Laura F. Hinsdale, F. W. Clarke and others. The Supplement contains short essays of The American Pulpit, letters to the editor on Timely Topics, and an illustrated Portfolio of humorous anecdotes.

A Captain's Fortunate Discovery.

Capt. Coleman, schr. Weymouth, plying between Atlantic City and N. Y., had been troubled with a cough so that he was unable to sleep, and was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It not only gave him instant relief, but allayed the extreme soreness in his breast. His children were similarly affected and a single dose had the same happy effect. Dr. King's New Discovery is now the standard remedy in the Coleman household and on board the schooner. Free Trial Bottles of the Standard Remedy at W. W. Hill's, Drug Store.

Neighbor—"What beautiful hens you have, Mrs. Stuckup." Mrs. Stuckup—"Yes, they are all imported fowls." Neighbor—"You don't tell me so! I suppose they lay eggs every day?" Mrs. Stuckup (proudly)—"They could do so if they saw proper, but our circumstances are such that my hens are not required to lay eggs every day."

What are Suppositories.

A. G. Rose, from New London, Conn., writes: Send me two boxes of your Kemp's Pile Suppositories by mail. Our druggist is out. They are for a friend. I tried everything without help, but the Suppositories cured me.

The treatment is new and within reach of all, and would advise the affected to give them a trial. For sale by Chas. H. Buss Druggist, at 50c. per box.

A young lady said at the recent meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union at Savannah: "Chivalry, which had fled from all other quarters, has taken refuge in the newspaper offices." It is unnecessary to state that this young lady is the prettiest and brightest representative of her sex in Georgia.

Vigor and Vitality

Are quickly given to every part of the body by Hood's Sarsaparilla. That tired feeling is entirely overcome. The blood is purified, enriched, and vitalized, and carries health instead of disease to every organ. The stomach is toned and strengthened, the appetite restored. The kidneys and liver are roused and invigorated. The brain is refreshed, the mind made clear and ready for work. Try it.

The Council of the English society for the study and cure of inebriety have completed arrangements for an International Medical Congress, to be held at Westminster Hall, London, July 5 and 6. The object of this Congress is to present and discuss the problems of inebriety, medically, and from a purely scientific standpoint, by the best authorities, thus laying the foundation for a broader and more exact study of this subject.—*N. Y. Observer.*

Rules

for the care of the sick. How to cure disease, its symptoms and causes, and other information of great value will be found in old Dr. Kaufmann's great book; 100 pages, fine colored plates. Send three 2 cent stamps to pay postage to A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass., and receive a copy free.

One day the children were having an object lesson on the blue heron. The teacher called attention to its small tail, saying: "The bird has no tail to speak of." The next day she asked the scholars to write a description of the bird, and a little girl wound up by saying: "The blue heron has a tail, but it must not be talked about."

Cream and Cold Weather.

What a luxury is a bath in summer. Surely, but a greater luxury is a clear head in winter; just when almost everybody is sneezing and snuffling with a cold in the head. But when you are attacked use Ely's Cream Balm. It cures colds in the head, and what is better it cures the worst cases of chronic catarrh and hay fever. Not a liquid, not a snuff. Pleasant to use. Quick relief. Radical cure.

Swiss curtains trimmed with a fluted ruffle of the same are dainty and appropriate for a country house. A pretty way to arrange them is to let them almost cross at the top of the window and loop them back with very large bows of white satin ribbon of pink, blue, scarlet or color to match decoration in the room.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla operates radically upon the blood, thoroughly cleansing and invigorating it. As a safe and absolute cure for the various disorders caused by constitutional taint or infection, this remedy has no equal. Take it this month.

"Johnny," said a fond mother to her boy, "which would you rather do, speak French or Spanish?" "I would rather," said Johnny, rubbing his waist-band and looking expressively at the table, "I would rather talk Turkey."

There is an eclipse this year that astronomers failed to note. It was the eclipse of Adamson's Botanic Balsam over all competitors. It cures coughs, colds, and all diseases of the throat, chest, and lungs. Price 10, 35, and 75 cents.

It is said that the North Carolina Senators have interceded in vain with the President in behalf of ex-Congressman Dowd of that State whose office as International Revenue Collector had been consolidated out of existence.

Not only the necessaries of life for the humble cot of the laborer, but also the luxuries. The elegancies of the tasteful finish and artistic design are to be found in the warerooms of the liberal house-furnishing firm of B. A. Atkinson & Co.

Men resemble the gods in nothing so much as in doing good to their fellow creatures.

"WHEN I WAS A BOY!"

"When I was a boy," the grandsire said
To the bright lad by his knee,
"Of the victors crowned with fame I read
Who triumphed on land and sea:
And through the years, from the deathless page,
A summons has sounded long:
To youth, and manhood, and hoary age,
The message is this: 'Be Strong!'"

"When I was a boy—" he paused and said
To the listener by his knee,
"Of the men who were as lights I read
In a dark world's history!
They prized the truth and were loved of God,
And no fear of man they knew;
And still from the glorious heights they trod,
The message was this: "Be True!"
—J. R. Eastwood in The Quiver.

RESEARCHES ON SNAKE POISONS.

Peculiarities of the Venom of Serpents. How Death Is Caused.

The Smithsonian institution has published Dr. Mitchell's and Professor Reichert's researches on snake poisons. The Boston Medical and Surgical Journal says of the work: "The new researches have been executed with so great skill, the results are so important, and the presentation of the whole matter is so excellent, that the memoir must at once be ranked a classic." We give a few of the results:

No chemical difference can be detected in the poison of all known snakes. The poison resembles in some respects the saliva of other animals, and differs but little from normal elements of the blood.

Introduced within the living tissues, it produces destructive changes more rapidly than any other known substance, and yet it is harmless within its own tissues. Herein, as The Journal suggests, it resembles the gastric juice, which digests all substances except that of the stomach itself.

Like most other poisonous substances, it is associated with more or less innocuous matter, from which the active principle can be separated by chemical analysis and obtained pure.

It has generally been supposed that the malignant effect of the poison was due to an intense inflammation to which it gave rise. But in inflammation it is principally the white corpuscles that escape from the blood vessels, while snake poison causes the blood to exude unseparated. In the former case, also, the blood strongly coagulates; in the latter, it retains its fluidity.

The red blood globule, in its normal form, is biconcave, or hollowed out on both sides; the poison renders it round, softens it, and causes the globules to run together like a gelatinous mass. The tissues become black with the infiltrated blood, break down, and rapidly putrify and slough.

It is probable that in most cases death results from the paralysis of the respiratory centers—those parts of the brain that preside over the acts of respiration.

The bushmen of South Africa use as an antidote the powdered poison sac of a different species of snake; some, a small lizard, dried, powdered and rubbed into incisions around the bite. Observations of travelers seem to confirm the efficacy of these antidotes.—Youth's Companion.

Queer Things in China.

A decree has been published in The Pekin Gazette which gives definite shape to the negotiations of China with the pope. The cathedral schools, dwelling houses, hospital, museum, printing office and library, so well known for 150 years as the Peitang, are to be removed to another site a quarter of a mile distant. The bishop is highly praised and rewarded with second rank decorations, as is also Mr. Commissioner Deitring of the customs, Tientsin. Abbe Favier, who went to Rome and Paris from Pekin to conduct the negotiations, is honored with the third rank decorations and £500. The accord of France with China seems to be perfect.

The new cathedral and other buildings will be erected at the expense of the Chinese government, following in this respect the example set by the great Emperor Kanghi in the latter part of the Seventeenth century. The empress wishes to have the cathedral, which overlooks a park where she will reside occasionally, in the western precincts of the palace. What she will do with the cathedral is a secret, and perhaps not yet decided.—London News.

Slavery in Eastern Countries.

It is a mistake to regard the condition of a slave in the east as utterly wretched. On the contrary, he is much better off than the average artisan in Europe. The worst he has to endure is the severance from his home and the journey to his place of destination. The relations between master and slave in eastern countries have little analogy with those formerly existing in Brazil and North America. It is usual for the Arab to grant freedom to his bondsman after a certain term of servitude; but in general the boon is declined and the slave prefers to continue in a service where he is well taken care of. The children of a Mohammedan master and a female slave stand upon an equal social footing and enjoy the same legal rights of heirship as the offspring of the legitimate wife. The mother, by the very event of the birth, becomes free and cannot be sold. An emancipated slave frequently inherits his master's property and carries on his business. In Meccah and Jeddah I know many freedmen of this class who have become eminent merchants.—Cor. St. Louis Globe-Dispatch.

Leprosy in New Orleans.

While delving for information on the subject of the city's health I ascertained what I believe is not generally known in New Orleans—that leprosy exists here to a remarkable extent. It has been known here in a vague sort of way that there were some cases of the dreaded disease in the lower parishes, but not that it prevailed to any extent in New Orleans. There are now under treatment in the Charity hospital no less than eighteen cases. What is more remarkable, and should be of absorbing interest to the people here, is the fact, I am informed on authority, that the luckless victims do not know with what they are afflicted, and are going about their usual vocations.—New Orleans Letter.

A New and Durable Bronze.

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THE INTERIOR OF AFRICA.

An Entertaining Account of Dr. Junker's Journey—Incidents of the Trip.

The natives of the Uganda district believe in a supreme being, but they do not worship Him, considering him so infinitely superior that the worship of insignificant mortals would not be recognized by Him; but they worship inferior deities, especially the god of the lake, and on a voyage make libations to Him. They have also a god of war—in fact, they have their Jupiter, Neptune and Mars. Warrior chiefs, too, who have died in battle are worshiped as demigods. This is very much like the Homeric mythology. The government of Uganda is based on the feudal system. The chiefs own land and fulfill the duties of magistrates; but there is a right of appeal, and important cases come before a chief or chiefs of the highest order. The kingdom is really a limited monarchy; it is governed by a council consisting of the king and some chiefs of the highest order, including the chief butler, baker, and, above all, the chef de cuisine, the cook. Without the sanction of these august personages the king can do nothing. When this parliament is dissolved—it sits for three months—the members, like our M. P.'s, retire to their country seats. The king keeps an enormous harem, and polygamy is an institution. Children and girls are sold for guns, ammunition, etc. In the court there are dwarfs and buffoons, as there were at European courts in the olden times.

Baker writes that needles are in great demand—the natives being exceedingly clever tailors and furriers—a handsome girl may be purchased for thirteen needles, to be exchanged in Unyoro for an elephant tusk, which would be worth £20 or £30 in England. In Unyoro there is an established value for a healthy young girl—such a person is equal to a single elephant's tusk of the first class or a new shirt. Thus a girl might be purchased for a shirt, and subsequently exchanged for a large elephant's tusk. Slavery is a national institution of the country. In Unyoro the girls are purchased for various commodities, such as brass coil, bracelets, bark, clothes, cotton, shirts, ivory, etc. The Unyoro country lies at the southeast bank of the Albert Nyanza.

Dr. Junker was allowed to proceed on his journey in a boat belonging to the mission after he had made some handsome presents to the king. This place is at the south of Victoria Nyanza. He remained here four days. Toward the southwest the banks lose the appearance of fertility which they had on the north; and rocky hills without verdure, or merely covered with stunted mimosa or coarse grass, run to the margin of the lake, where they end in naked rocks. In the narrow bays formed by these ridges are here and there villages nestling among banana groves.

Dr. Junker now got to Ukumhi. Here the hills recede again, and beds of ambatch are found growing in the water. The natives construct boats from this weed, which is so extremely buoyant that a boat ten feet long and four feet wide made of it will support at least twelve men. The lowest point at which this pithy weed is found is about latitude 12. Other parts of the coast are often fringed with waterlilies, and the islands at the south of the lake are as beautiful as fairyland. It is an everchanging kaleidoscope—at one spot purple convolvuli and the graceful papri abound, around which innumerable quantities of water fowl of every description hover and swim; while here and there huge hippopotami are seen floundering, and crockodiles basking where there happens to be sandbanks or grassy creeks. In the middle distance are seen plantain groves and grassy plains of a vivid emerald, while in the background stand gigantic trees with branches twisted most fantastically. From Ukumhi Dr. Junker went on to Ut Salala, where there is a church mission station. Thence he went with his porters and donkeys to Uyui. Uyui may almost be called a town. It is one of the largest collections of huts in Africa. Here and there are places shaded by immense fig trees, under which the natives sit. This is a prosperous station. It is ten miles northeast from Tabora, the great center of Arab trade.

The doctor then continued his journey over the Ugodo country, through the Rubal pass to Mpwapwa. Mpwapwa lies on the western slopes of the Usagara mountains, adjoining the vast tract of forest which separates it from the table land of Uugodo. Clusters of villages are scattered all over the plains, their inhabitants supporting themselves on the product of the soil and by breeding cattle. The country is fertile, and produces large crops of dhurra, Indian corn and other cereals. The natives dwell in mud huts, built square, with a large court house in the center, into which (as is common in the Soudan) the cattle are driven at night to prevent their being "jumped," as the Cape expression runs; the doors are strongly built of wood. The inhabitants are a mixed race of Wagogo and Wassagara and other tribes. Toward the west stretches an immense plain; to the north are fields of dhurra, and to the south and east vast forests—a paradise for a sportsman, as all kinds of game—lions, leopards, antelopes and buffaloes rove there. In a southerly direction tower lofty mountains; indeed, it were difficult to conceive a more romantic spot than that where our traveler rested.—Cairo Cor. London News.

Lamaism in China.

The Rev. Jonathan Crossett, who for seventeen years has been a missionary in China, says that one section of China is still untouched by the missionaries—the Mongols living to the north and west. The Mongols go down to Lassa in Thibet as to a Mecca, and evidence can be found among them of the teachings of the early Christians. They are the most tenacious as to their religion of any people whom he had ever met. Their deity is called Borhan, or "light," and their belief—Lamaism—is founded upon tenets held by all Christians. They observe one day in every seven, and although they worship idols, they have ten commandments, and their system of morals is very high.—New York Sun.

On the retired list of the navy there are fifty rear admirals, fifteen commodores, twelve commanders, twenty paymasters, fourteen captains, twenty lieutenant commanders, forty-one lieutenants, seventy-two engineers, and forty-six surgeons.

The New York *Sun*, which is at least suspected of not being an ardent admirer of the President, expresses the opinion that the Irish Democrats who voted for Mr. Blaine in 1884 will not do so in 1888, unless Mr. Cleveland is the Democratic candidate.

The New York *Times* has referred to Secretary Endicott as "a sincere upholder of civil service reform," and because he is, the larger part of the Washington correspondents have ridiculed or grossly misrepresented him.

It is a singular fact, but nevertheless true, that when two young men meet they address each other: "How are you, old man?" and that when two old fellows meet they say: "My boy."

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The bravest are not always the tenderest, as the poet sings. There is the red game rooster, for instance; he will fight a bird of double his size, but he cuts up tough in a pot-pie.

The Iowa *State Register* is proud to chronicle the names of fifty counties in that State which had no inmates in their jails last year. These counties have banished the saloon.

The Baptists are driving ahead, but the Methodists are very provoking. As we came through Ohio they told us of an old Methodist who had just died leaving $1,200,000 to a Methodist college.

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